action was one of the ad-the Sol Smith Russell two new plays, the first act sketch, "Mr. Valen. istmas," and the new three acts, "An Everyday Mr. Russell in the role of The first appearance of ras the signal for a big ova. onor, which continued for The entertainment through. ne with all performances ver given to our people, ral and without any ob. feature, and the support on throughout. Mr. Rus. was the central figure in and all that he did, in and movement, the audiinterest and instruction. It of Decatur audiences to ssell's work by comparison. y like him better in his old

est in "A Peaceful Valley," last night said they never better advantage than as ay Man." That is just what day life, and he requires no the part. It fits him like a some will wonder how it ie can simulate the reeling a tipsy man so pergave many an old ers last night. At the second act Mr. Russell before the curtain for the He knew what the people he was kind enough to deof his happy little talks, th aly wit and humor, He is gratitude to the people for ce in such large numbers, scefully retired. na did not go down on the

or Relation;" others that he

An Indian Girl. of the Home Missionary ie First Presbyterian church g a young Indian girl who ndian Territory. She has id it was necessary for her it. Louis to receive medical She passed through Decaroing and a number of the society were at the depot ward. They furnish her

ng and are also giving her an

after 11 o'clock.

l'ayer's Final Notice tax payers to understand the final week the books ov hands. I have arranged books until after Wabssh accommodate the railroad югing people generally. The iositively be closed on next ight, March 14. Don't final notice, as all who do week will have their prop-

ed as delinquent.
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AND PLAIN

"THE IDOL OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE"

For Republican Candidate for President of the United States-A Ringing Speech Before the Ohio State Convention.

The Great Assembly Resumes Its Work at 10:30 This Morning-Temporary Organization Made Permament-The Platform.

COLUMBIA, O., March 11 -The most notable feature of the short session of notable feature of the short session of thas not only desappointed the expected republican state convention yes terday was the speech of Senator-elect forfeited the confidence and support of l'oraker, in which he declared his allegiance to McKinley with all his characteristic vigor. "I want my



speech to be short enough," said he, "for all to read it, and plain enough for all to understand it." And then he passed into praise of ex-Gov. McKin-ley and a presentation of his qualifica-tions for the presidency, that fully made amends for the notable omission of any such sentiment in his speech accepting the office of United States senstor two months ago.

Chairman J. M. Yekes of the state central committee made a short speech of American vessels; stands for a fiscal in calling the convention to order, and policy opposed to debts and deficits in in calling the convention to order, and mention by him of the name of Mc-Kinley gave the convention a chance to express itself and show that McKinley enthusiasm was pent up at high pressure. It was left for Foraker to uncork it. The time had come, he said, for redeeming the third promise of the Zanesville convention, which declared for the election of McKinley to the presidency, and the convention drowned his voice with cheers.

'The republicans of Ohio don't look unkindly at Thomas B. Reed (applause) nor Levi P. Morton, nor Wm. B. Allison, nor Matthew Stanley Quay, the other great leaders who have been mentioned in connection with that honor On the contrary, if the St. Louis convention should disappoint us and give the honor to one of them, we here now pledge him in advance the electoral vote of Ohio, by the largest majority ever given in the history of



the state. It is not that we have Coss less, but Rome the more. Wm. McKin-

Here he told the story of the Mc-Kinley law and its repeal; and con-

"As a result, in every section, in every state, in every community, in every mill, and mine, and furnace, and forge, and workship, everywhere throughout all this broad land where capital is invested or labor em-William McKinley is the ideal American statesman, the typical American leader and the veritable American idol. No man ever in public life in this country enjoyed such universal popularity as is his tabove the amount necessary for a choice, No man in this country in public life and his nomination was made unaniever commanded, as he now commands, mous. Marshall J. Williams was recommended to the country. Other states are ers of the country. Other states are declaring for him. Ohio cannot lead the column. It is already on the march. (Laughter.) All we can do is to join the procession. [Loud laughter.] We will not hesitate longer to take action in that respect. I want my speech here to-day to be short enough for everybody to read it and plain enough for everybody to un-derstand. [Long appleuse, lasting for several minutes.] I have sour gentlemen of the convention, the key note of this occasion."

There was a caucus of leading For aker faction republicans with a view of fixing up a slate for the convention They determined to make Gen. A. T. Wickoff their candidate for the transferry of state in case he could develop sufficient strenth; if not, to support Doty. of Cleveland. For board of public works they will support John Stillwell, of Troy, and for food commissioner, Representative Blackburn, of balmont county They will not at-tempt to defeat Judge Williams for reelection to the supreme bench.

To-day's Session COLUMBUS, O., March 1L-The Grand

Opera house was again unable to give admission to more than half those hold-Senator-Elect Foraker Declares for McKinley.

McKinley. mittee delegation against the mass convention delegation. The report was slopted. The temporary organization was made permanent. Foraker briefly acknowledged the double honor, and acknowledged the double honor, and proceeded to business. The report of the rules committee changing order of monination was adopted. Congressman Taylor, chairman of the committee or resolutions and platform, was greeted with applause, and the report which was adopted is as follows:

The Republicans of Ohio congratulate the people of the country upon the growth of Republican sentiment as evidenced by the signs of victories in the last three years.

ries in the last three years.
We denounce the Democratic admindistration as the most destructive and disastrous this country has ever known.

its own party.

We affirm our adherence to the principles of the Republican party as defined by the National convention of 1892, and are faithfully wedded to the great princi ple of protection, which is dearer to us now than lever before; and we denounce the present tariff law as being destruc tive of the prosperity of the people, and as being the product of Democratic ignorance and incompetency; that from being a prosperous people, unprecedented adversity and distress has followed it, from which nothing but a return to protection can relieve the people. We denounce the free wool provision of the tariff law as an unjust discrimination, and demand such protection to our abeep industry as will secure fair prices for American wool.

The Republican party stands for reciprocity that reciprocates; stands for a foreign policy dictated by men imbued with the spirit which is genuinely American; stands for a commercial policy that will whiten every sea with the sails time of peace; favors a return to a government debt paying policy, and opposes a continuance of a debt making

We contend for honest money: for a currency consisting of gold, silver and paper, and favor bimetalism, and demand the use of both gold and silver as standard money, either in accordance with a ratio fixed by international agree ment or under such restrictions and provisions, to be determined by legislation, as will secure the maintenance of the parity value of the two metals, so that the purchasing and debt paying power of one dollar in gold, silver, or raper, shall be at all times equal. We denounce the present administra-

tion's pension bureau for its betrayal of the Union soldiers and we pledge our-selves anew to the veterans our watch-

tul care in recognition of ther just claims upon a grateful people.

We honor the emipent sons of other states whose splendid services and high character justified their presentation to the American people as candidates for the presidency. We assure Republithe American people as candidates for the presidency. We assure Republi-cans everywhere that whoever leads the Republican hoets, Ohio will contri-bute her share to swelling the tide of victory in November, but the people of Ohio take satisfaction in the expressions, Ohio take satisfaction in the expressions, coming from every section of our common country, of approval of their distinguished citizen, William McKinley, the great advocate of protection, who has all his life stood for America, its factories, its farms, its firesides and who now finds his reward in the confidence

gates at large to the St. Louis conven-tion. The rules were suspended and the

four were selected by accimuation.

Congressman Grosvenor presented the rules were suspended and those nomi

The roll of counties was called for nominations of state officers: The names of Charles Kinney, of Scioto, and Gen A. T. Witkoff, of Franklin, and E. W Doty, of Cuyahoga, were presented for

The hottest contest of the convention was for the nomination of fold and dairy commissioner. Joseph E. Blackburn, of Belmont, was chosen on the second ballot. Frank A. Hoffman, of Van Wert, was chosen for a member of the board of public works. The convention then adjourned sine die.

Illinois Republicass

PRINCETON, Ill., March 11.-The Republican central committee of Bureau publican central committee or Bureau county held a meeting here yesterday and named April 5, as the date for the county convention, to be held in Princeton. A poll of the committeemen showed 26 for Hopkins and three non-committal, For president 26 favored McKinley, one Alliann, one Cullem and one non-county. m, one Cullom and one non-com

Aurora, Ill. March II.—Lucus Buch, a painter, jost his footing while at work on a soulfold near the top of a three-story building on Broadway yesterday, and fell a distance of 40 feet. He landed in a bank of anow, which broke the facts of his fall, but he received internal incinate that are considered fata. injuries that are considered fatal.

ANOTHER SETBACK FOR QUAY.

Candidates of His Choice.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 11.—Sentator Quay got a decided jolt yesterday in one of his strougholds. Franking so the news of the action of the bouse, of the legislature and nominated anti-county Republicais, in convention, defeated both the present Quay members of the legislature and nominated anti-county when in their places. It was a providing for unseating Senators Walters and James (Reps). The chair declared the opposing faction. This unexpected defeat pressages a defeat in the conference once that will select two national Republicais. A mid the wildest excitement the lieutenant governor put, the motion. Track by the Kentucky Legislature—Republicais New Have Majority.

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YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY.

The Roman Catholic Church Will Provide an Organization Similar to

the Y. M. C. A. New York, March 11.-It is quite ing from other cities.

SCENE ON LAKE MICHIGAN.

A Crowd of People Watch Men Facht to

Save Themselves From Drowning. CHICAGO, March 11.—Three men in a catboat fought to save themselves from death in the waves of Lake Michigan this morning. The sea was stirred up by a driving northeest gale, and at times both men and boat disappeared from sight. A large crowd gathered on the beach and stood watching the unit committee at 10:30 oclock this

MORGAN AND ALLEN.

Bi-Metallic League of California Suggest

B Presidential Ticket. Los Angeles, Cal., March 11.—The The personnel of the permanent organitate executive committee of the American Calculus (Carlos of the American Carlos of the American organican) state executive committee of the American bi metallic party of California adopted a resolution endorsing Senator of Morgan, of Alabama, for president, and de Allen, of Nebraska, for vice president.

Weather This Afternoon and Thursday.
CHICAGO, March 11.—Illinois: Generally fair; much colder to night and Thursday; brisk to high northerly winds.

Iowa: Fair to night and Thursday much colder east to night; warmer west; Thursday northerly winds becoming

Wisconsin: Generally fair to-night and Thursday; much colder to night; colder east Thursday; brisk to high northerly winda

temperature to night and Thursday; fair, except probably, snow flurries east; warmer, northerly winds becoming vari-

A Big Coal Combine.

the absolute, loyal support of his state tounage on the basis of the last year's got a gun. Returning, he opened fire on at the National convention, and natruct tounage from two states. A committee Beebe, almost cutting his body in two

Proria, Ill., March 11 .- Emil Huber went to Springdale cometery yesterday, leated himself on his wife's tombstone. drew a revolver and fired a ball into the names of I. F. Mack of Sandusky, and center of his forehead, causing instant Albert C. Douglass of Chillionthe, as death. Twenty-five years ago Huber candidates for electors at large. The was a brewer and rated as one of the wealthiest men in this city, but reverses overtook him in his declining years, and he died penniless. He leaves three children now of adult age.

Killed by a Train. HINSDALE, Ill., March 11.-While the three youngest children of Willis L. Blackman were being driven home from a concert in a. carriage last night the carriage was struck by a train. Carl, the youngest son, and the coachman, Samuel Russell, were instantly killed, and Willie, the eldest son, was terribly injured. Margery, the youngest daughter, was also budly injured.

OTTAWA, Ill., March 11.-The Ottawa Journal, published by Lester A. Rose, was closed by the sheriff yesterday under a chattel mortgage running to L. B. Merrifield for 8400. The National City

Convicted of Murder in Kansa INDEPENDENCE, Kan., March 11.-The jury in the Cannon murder case re-turned a verdict this morning finding George Stevens guilty of murder in the tiret degree. The trial of Charles Mer-ritt and Lydia Welchel, charged as ac-

porice, will be taken up immediately Anti Option Bill Killed. WASHINGTON, March 11.-The he committee on agriculture decided this morning to table the anti option bill. This practically kills the measure for REVOLUTION IN THE SENATE.

Franklin County Republicans Defeat The Kentucky Senate Attempts to Unsent Two Republicans—Rist and No Elec-

The roll was then called by the Democratic senators and Walton and James were declared inchigible to seate in the senate by a vote of 21 to sone. Walton, who was present, declared the proceedings revolutionary and that he would not submit. James successed in leaving the senate before being unerat- to unsent Kaufman, and the majority ed and entered the house when the joint report was adopted, creating march entered among the Democrate. ognizing the senate said with great heat ognizing the senate said with great near
that the doorkeeper had control of the
door and no other person had.
Bronson declared the ruling was
without precedent and shouted a motion New York, March 11.—It is quite probable that at the next monthly meeting of the Archdiocesan Union of the Roman Catholic church movement will be started to establish an organization in the church similar to the Young Men's Christian Association. The idea is to erect in each city an association building, where Roman Catholic young men may assemble, with reading rooms and gymnasium department where aid to those seeking employment or suitable homes may be obtained by those coming from other cities.

St. Louis, March 11.—With imposing that Senator Boebel be made presiding corners deficitly. A storm of noes ceremonies befatting the rank of a prince in the Course Catholic church Archaington appeared and took his seat, and succeeded in quieting things for a in the pricets let in Calvary cemetery. It is estimated that since the remains of the secators omitted to call the have been bying n state 125,000 people lot for senator then began. The names of James and Walton. The ball infert of the chancel the remains of the aged prelate, robed in cannonicals, the aged prelate, robed in the Brief Roman Catholic church Archaines and thook his seat, and the succeeded in quieting the rank of spinion in the Church Roman Catholic church Archaines, during the rank of spinion in the church Roman Catholic church Archaines, during the rank of spinion in the church Roman Catholic church Archaines, during the rank of spinion in the church Roman Catholic church Archaines, during the rank of spinion in the pricets' let in Calvary cemetery. It is estimated that a sum th that Senutor Boebel be made presiding fused to vote. The chair decided that as only sixty-five votes had been cast there was no quorum, therefore no elec-tion. The joint assembly then adjourned.

ALL FOR ALLISON.

Opening of the Iowa Republican State Convention-Dolliver, Temporary Chairman.

sual contest. Spectators were unable morning. Congressman Dolliver was to render the threatened men any elected temporary chairman and made a assistance. They finally drifted to shore ringing Republican and Allieon speech, in safety \_\_\_\_\_\_ The address was frequently interrupted with applause which became terrific at every reference to Allison. At the con-clusion of the address the convention adjourned till 2 o'clock p, m. The plat-form will be "Sound Money and Allison."

All talk of a fight on Clarkson or any of the other "Big Four" slated for delegates at large has been abandoned;

A DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Rhode Island Democrats Put Up a Ticket

ernor, M. George Littlefield; Lieutenant Governor, Augustus S. Miller; Secretary Thursday; much colder to night; colder of State, George L. Church; Attorney of State, George L. Church; Attorney winds.

South Dakota: Snow flurries; rising temperature to sight and Thursday; and Thursday; by the state of State, George T. Brown; General Treasurer, John G. Perry. The platform did not touch on national issues

Shot by a Wropped Hasband.

PERIN, Ill., March 11.-Early last evening James Lane shot and killed Samuel Beebe in a drunken brawl over a wo has all his life stood for America, its farms, its firesides and who nation of the coal operators who supply now finds his reward in the confidence and affection of the people whose interests have been his contant cars. The effort will be made to combine with the absolute, loval support of his state to have on the hasing of the last vear's got a gain. Returning, he opened fire of the section of the people whose interests have been his contant cars. The effort will be made to combine with the absolute, loval support of his state to have on the hasing of the last vear's got a gain. Returning, he opened fire on a cidemt is trifling, but may cause the circular together, and Beebe had gotten are described in this city to day. An early likely, however, that she will fail to and found his wife and Beebe together reach Port Royal before Thursday, the day set for the docking.

A Bill to Pension Gen. Gooding. redeem this pledge.
Col. Cooper, of Mt. Vernon, in an eloquent and stirring speech, presented the names of Governor Ass Bushell, Senstor-lect J. B. Forsker, Congressman C.
H. Grosvenor and Mark Hanna for delegates at large to the St. Lonis corrections. murder within a year in Taxewell county. Al Wallace, the first of the three, is sentenced to die on the gallows Satur-day. The second murderer is George Smith, who shot his son-in-law, and is to hang for it. The three men, Wallace, Smith and Lane, to-night in the jail chatted over their latest crime, and seemingly were indifferent as to their

ocometive Betler Explodes, Killing

HAZELTON, Pa., March 11.—Four men were killed and one injured by the blowing up of an engine on the Susque-hanna & Schuylkill railroad this afternoon at Gum Run. The dead are:

JOHN CHAMBERS, FRANK O'DONNELL, MICHAEL BOYLE, JONAS STEWART. The injured are: . WM. TOMONY.

Robbers Wreck a Brak. GERMANTOWN, O., March 11.—An un-successful attempt was made to rob the First National Bank this merning. The robbers were evidently green at the bank entered up a small judgment. A husiness. They used girant powder and mortgage for \$700 given by Rose to the Chicago Paper Company was put on record yesterday.

> Rothschild Baum & Stein Avelge ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 11.—Rothe-ctaid Baum & Stein, clothing manufac-turers, assigned to-day. Liabilities esti-mated at \$400,000.

Spain pays bounties for sugar produced in its own land, but levies a duty of \$6.20 on each 100 kilograms of Cuban rugar sent across the sea.

In 1891 350 Spanish officials were indicted in Cuba for fraud, but not one was punished. DUNLAP DISGUSTED.

Withdraws Bis Contest But is Premptly Scated By the Kentucky Legislature

read the refusal of Dunkap to prosecute the contest and Carroll arose and stated the brone had no right to refuse Dunlap the privilege to withdraw his contest. Lyon claimed Dunlap had asked leave to withdraw His willing nees did not effect the right of the house to go shead with the case. After more discussiva a vote was ordered on the majority report to the effect that Dun-lup is; and Kaufman is not entitled to the seat. The republicans voted solidly

LAID AT REST.

bishop Kendrich.

Sr. Louis, March 11.-With imposing on a catafa'que. Cardinal Gibbons oc cupied the throne on the right of Arch bishop Kane, who occupied the throne or the left. The services were the or the tert. The services were the grandest and most imposing ever seen in the city. Absolution was performed by Cardinal Gibbone. At the conclusion of the sorvices the remains were taken to the cemetery. The usual services were observed at the grave.

MRS. FILLEY'S DEATH

Calls Forth Resolutions from the Missouri Delegation in Congress.

Washington, March 11.-Upon the announcement of Mrs. Chauncey L Filley's death yesterday, a meeting was held by the eleven republican members of the Missouri delegation, at which the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, By the republican members of congreas from Missouri, that we have heard with a degree of sadness we are unable to express of the death of Mrs. Channecy I Filley who for more than a quarter of a century has given kindly greeting to the thousands of visitors at her home. Her work in life was that of an unselfish, devoted Christian woman, and multitudes of people who have been blessed by titudes of people who have been blessed by the kindly ministrations of her charity mourn her loss To her bereaved husband we tender our sincere sympathy in this hour of his-great

affiction.

Resolved, That Hon. Richard Barthold Hon. To-Day.

Providence, R. I., March 11—The Democratic state convention nominated the following candidates to-day:

Goorge Littlefield; Lieutenant prosecution of the convention of the convention

The Battleship Indiana to Proceed to Bort

WASHINGTON, March 11 -Notwithstanding the accident of Monday the hattleship Indiana sailed from Fortness Monroe, Va., yesterday for Port Royal, S. C., in order not to disappoint the crowds.expected to assemble there to see the vessel placed in dry dock. The reach Port Royal before Thursday, the tives.

A Bill to Pension Gen. Gooding. Washington, March 11 -A bill was introduced in the house vesterday by Mr. Henry, of Indiana, to grant a pension of \$100 a month to Gen. H. P. Gooding, Gen. Gooding is a graduate of West Point and at the beginning of the war was detailed as colonel of a Massachusetts regiment and served through the war. He is at present confined in St. Elizabeth's asylum in this district, his insanity, it is claimed, resulting directly from his army serv-

The National University of the Enited

Washington, March 11.—The bill inorporating the National University of the United States was yesterday favorably reported to the senate. It grants a charter to the university: provides for its government; grants it the ground in the city of Washington designated by President Washington as a site for a national university, and appropriates \$15,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, and \$25,000 the wear following.

New York Grand Jury Report NEW YORK, March 11.-The United States grand jury for the February term came into the circuit court yes terday and reported over a dozen indictnibute. These cases include the charges against Gen. Carcia and his Cuban compatriots, who were accused of a violation of the neutrality laws.

United States District Attorney Me-Fariane positively refused to give any information regarding the indictments

Says Spain Will Resist the United States NEW YORK, March 11 .- The Herald's Madrid special says: In an interview with the Minister of Mercy and Justice, Ronledo, he said: "American interfer ence in Cuban affairs will be resisted to the death by Spain as contrary to its rights and international laws."

Mexican Veteran Dying of Cascor.
AUKORA, Ili., March 11.—Gen. Nicho
las Greugel, a veteran of the Mexican
war, is dying of cancer.

### **HUNDREDS IN DANGER**

From Fire and Panic in a Chicago Business House.

MANY OF THE INNETES FALL IN A FAINT

And are Claried from the Burning Building by Policemen, but No One. So

Far as Reported, Şustained Serious Injuries.

CHICAGO, Morch 11 -- A fire, which was a source of danger to handreds of men and women, and boys and girls. stock of the Lastz Wall Paper Co., on the second floowed the substany stone front building which the company leases from the Martin Ryerson estate, located at 47-49 Bandolph street Only an alley separates the structure from the towering Massaic temple on State street. The total less on building and contents will not exceed \$40,000, principally to the high grade stock of the Lartz company and more from water than fire

On the fourth floor were 355 young men and girls, pupils of the Chicago Business college A'though they were told quietly to leave the building and there was no dangert none of them waited to get all their clothing or belongings, but rushed pell mell down the narrow stairs to the street, where those who had their hats, coats-and cloaks dressed in the presence of the one hundred employes of Lord & Thomas, the advertising firm, and 125 girls and others employed on the fifth floor by the E. L. Mansure Co fringe makers, made a hasty exit by stairs, are escapes and some by the single elevator, which run a spite of a flooded basement.

Several girls from the college and fringe factory fainted us the rush of zetting to the street and policemen sarried them out.

FAVORABLE REPORT ORDERED On the Bill Admitting New Mexico to Statehood.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The subcommittee of the senate committee on territories yesterday morning, by a vote, ordered a favorable report on the bill to admit New Mexico to statehood. A number of manor amends ments were made to the pending measuce. Among others, one to make the census of 1890 the basis of representation in the consitutional convention. It is believed that the full committee will order a favorable report on the

There will, undoubtedly, be a fight against the admission of this territory when the bill comes into the sen-ate. First, because the territory is not, as some senators claim, sufficiently settled to justify its people in assuming statehood; and for the further reasons that the Spanish language is the tongue commonly spoken withins its borders; and, second, because by the admission of this territory the strength of the free silver men in the senate will be increased two votes by.

the admission of the senators from that territory when it became a state. The bill may, perhaps, pass the senate, but the indications are that it cannot pass the house of representa-

THE BLUE BOOK CRITICISED An Export Attacks the British Cinjm to Venezuelan Territory.

LONDON, March 11.-The Chronicle o-day publishes the first of a series of articles by an expest criticising the Venezuelan blue book just issued by the government. The writer insists that all the bitterness and vehemence of the Venezuelan claim, centers in the alleged British usurpation of the coast between the Moruco and Orinoco rivers. It is, here, he says, that the British case is weakest.

The contention that the Dutch posessed this territory prior to the to of Munster is certainly not proved atisfactorily by the blue book, and he adduces reasons in support of his contention. He unearths an insceuracy in a quotation from a Spanish, record of 1640, and, seeks to show that the quotation, as cited in the blue book, is garbled and perverted summary of he original. He adds that he foars that this is not a solitary example of haste and inaccuracy in the preparation of the British case.

Nathani Linecod Oll Works. Bun

PALLAURLPHIA, March 11-The brick storage houses of the National linseed oil works, at Delaware and Meccacoe avenues, were destroyed by fire yesterday morning. For a time the fames threatened to communicate to the surrounding property, but this was averted. The tanks in the building were filled with oil. The loss is estimated at \$30,000, and is covered by inmrance. The origin is not known.

Garcia and Euches Indicted. New York, March 11.—General Calixto Garcia, Cayt. Samuel Hughes and four others of the Bernuda expedition were to-day indicted by the Federal grand buy for rightion of the neutrality

Injured Fatally by an Elevator MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 11.—A freight levator in the carriage bouse of W. S. elevator in the carriage house of W. S. Bruce & Sons fell this morning, injuring four men, one, Frank Beale, fatally.

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### MARCH.

MOON'S PHASES.

Last quarter, 6th; new moon, 14th; first quare, 22d, full 1400n, 20th.

Br April 1 thirteen states will have held their Republican convention, and eight more will be held in June.

THE indications point very strongly to the fact that some of these days the Cubans will edit a battle dispatch from Cubs.

THE conditions in 1889 were favorable to "favorite cone." This year the centiment of the Republican voters is plainly in favor of one man, McKinley, which makes it a poor year for "favorite

Mainz seems to be opposed to recognizing the belligerency of the Cubans. The bitterest foe to such recognition in the Senate is Frye of Maine and in the House Bou'elle of Maine.

that the attempt to make it appear that roe Doctrine; therefore be it McKinley could not get as many votes as some other candidate, is only an at tempt to stop the tide toward him. There are hundreds of voters in every community who never voted the Repub- United States. Kinley in case of his nomination, and Politicians Were "Too Previous." there are so Republicans who will not

It is becoming more apparent each day that the advice of the real friends of Senator Cullom that it would be their purpose altogether too evident better for him that he allow the people carly in the game, and there is no surer of the state to select delegates to the way to rouse the people than to chalnational convention according to the lenge them in the name of the politi-preference of the Republicans of the cians. It is going out all over the coungood advice. In that case in the event are doing their best to defeat sition to receive the nomination. Under of any intentions he may have had to the

SPEARING of Quay's part in the program plans more quietly and waited until the of the traders to defeat the will of the eve of the convention before announcpeople the St. Louis Globe-Democrat says: ing them, then, indeed, they might have When Cameron received a Cabinet post taken charge in insolent confidence, but in 1861 he got about as much as he ex- they committed a fatal error in giving pected to get out of the contest of 1860. the people too much of a start. When Blaine was beaten in 1876 the when Blaine was besten in 1876 the Before the present revolution Spain men who put up Hartranft accomplished restricted the right of suffrage to 53,000 did not beat Blaine. It was never large of 1,600,000, a proportion of 3 per cent. enough, when added to Blaine's, to give the Maine statesman the nomination.

But he was one of the local favorites have had absolutely no redress. who hold states or parts of states away from Blaine which would otherwise go to him, and thus permitted a combination to be made which gave another man the remination. Fitter's candi dacy was of the opera bouffe order, and had no effect on the result. The intention is that Quay will help to transact the part in 1896 which Hartranft assisted in performing in 1876—to hold enough votes away from McKinley to either force a deal with the Ohio man or to allow a combination to be made against him to over brow him. This is one of the reasons why Senator Quay will get no support cutside of Pennsylvania and why he cannot force the Pennsylvania delegation to vote in his favor long. There are other reasons why he will be at or near the foot of the list in the votng white he is in the list at all, but they need not be mentioned here.

Two Folitical Perorations. New York Mail and Express: "For twenty years (the speech of Col. Robert G. Ingersoil at the Republican national convention of 1876, in which he presented James G. Blaine for the presidential nomination, has stood unchallenged as the ultima thuis of personal eulogy. Neither Conkling's nomination of Grant four years later, nor Garfield's classic gem nomination of Barrison, approached and two a mild catharic. They are gentle laxative, and two a mild catharic. They are gentle and efficient in their action, permanent G. Ingeredi at the Republican national nomination of Harrison, approached anywhere near Ingereall's elequent trib-ute to the Plumed Knight. It was be lieved to be unapproachable, as well as unapproached, until the occurrence of the Lincoln dinner at Chicago on Wednesday last, given by the Marquette club of that city. Many who then beard the spleadid percration of Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, in which he unofficially, yet formally

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or Daily Republican placed Wm. McKinley in nomination for the presidency, were heard to say which followed it could hardly have been surpassed in a political convention. He is likely to be chosen to present McKinley in a more official way at the St. Louis convention in June. Instructed for McKinley.

THE Christian county Republican con vention instructed its delegates to the state convention to vote for John R. Tanner, and its delegates to the state and district conventions for McKinley. An anti-McKinley paper, however, puts it that the convention instructed for Tanner and endorsed McKinley. The cheme of those who did not expect the people of Christian county to wake up, when they found them waked up, tried to palm off on the convention a resolution relating to McKinley which amounted only to giving him a certificate of character, but it did not work.

The resolution relating to McKinley adopted at that convention is as follows: WHEREAS, Major William McKinley, late Governor of Ohio, represents the true American ideas; that in Gov. Mc-It is only necessary to spend a few man who represents the idea of protection to American industries and will have a moments among the pecple to discover

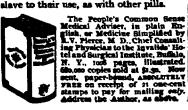
Resolved, That the convention in Christian county assembled instruct the delegates from this county to use all honorable means for the nomination of Wm. McKinley for the President of the

Chicago Evening Journal: "The politicians are all against McKinley, and they generally control conventions," said Charles Kurtz. one of Forsker's lieutentenants. But the politicians have made district and in all cases see that the try now that McKinley is a popular idol delegates were also friendly to him was whom the schemers and wire-pullers of a deadlock in the national conven- Every Republican voter is thus made to tion he would have been in splendid po- feel that McKinley's cause is his, that a question of his own personal liberty is the present combination, in the event involved. He resents the assumption of of the defeat of McKinley, he will have the bosses that it is their right and duty no chance to get the nomination, but to decide for him who his candidate will be forced into the attitude of having served as a stalking horse in spite better than the chance to give them a lesson in popular sovereignty. If Platt, Quay, and the others had matured their



The Indian medicine man cures by charms and incautations. He fright-ens away the "evil spirit" who causes the sickness.
does all sorts He things that civilized people would call idiotic and barbaric, but the civilized folks are not so very much shead after all. They do just as foolish things as does the medicine man. They go along

man. They go along carelessly, and allow the little sickness to grow into the big sickness. They allow constipation to grow into indigestion, heartburr, dizziness, headache, insomnia, and a nundred other distressing conditions. They do this frequently because they do not know the cause of their trouble. It is a pretty see and to look for the source of a roths. eafe rule to look for the source of 9-10ths of human sickness in this one simple and appallingly prevalent trouble. Another foolish thing that smart people do is to take some alleged remedy for constipa-



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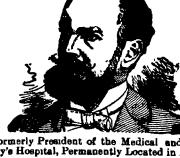
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LOCAL NEWS.

PRAYER meetings to-night.

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numed to day. THE next meeting of the C. P. Presby-

Tuesday, April 7. DB. H. P. BACHMAN, dentist rooms 7,

and 9, in Temple block. THE newly elected officers of Decatur Division, No. 36, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, were installed last night.

To-NIGHT there will be a lively comedy at the Grand, presented by the Cawthorne company. If you want to laugh

Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all kinds of cakes, pies, etc. Inwin's Cascaret Tablete, sure cure

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The roller skating rink will be closed Saturday night. Manager Black says the enterprise has not been a financial success because only a limited number of people have taken advantage of rink

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THE DAY OF DOOM.

Albert Wallace is to be hanged by the neck on Saturday, March 14, at Pekin for trying to blot out three people from the face of the cartn in Dillon township. He murdered his sister, Mrs. fering, the result of severe burns re-Belle Bowlby and came near doing the ceived accidentally while she was alone. Decker began his base ball career there same to John Bowlby and Lawrence She had lighted a lamp with a piece of and recently returned to Decaptur to Lyman, and it was no fault of his that paper, and then threw the still make his home. He is at the lead of the two last named are still alive. He burning bit of paper over her shoulder, the movement in that city, and if it is didn't mean they should be.

been working all over Tazewell county, too late. Bein gold and feebleshe was un. It is thought that with such a compleading with people to sign her peti. able to act as hastily as she might have bination no club would have to make a tion to the governor asking him to done had she been younger, and in a big railrand jump and with a malary commute the death sentence to very short time she was enveloped in list not will coed \$700, the enterprise imprisonment for life, but she fire. Help came, but it was too late to could be the to pay. There are now has been unsuccessful, having obtained do much good. The old lady was so plenty of good ball players' who sould only a very few signatures. This has badly injured that at the time of the ac- be secured at the rate of \$50 per month. been a great disappointment to both cident it was not believed that she could Grounds can be secured here without Albert Wallace and his devoted sister. Survive but a short time, still she linger- cost, and there is plenty of talent. It is not believed that Gov. Altgeld will ed until yesterday afternoon, when she interfere with execution of the sentance passed away. Mrs. Wiggins was 64 were approached on the subject to day, and it is considered certain that the years of age. She was the mother of expressed themselves as favorable to the hanging will take place Saturday.

not to allow any newspaper reporters to Carlinville, and Thomas Wiggins, with warranted her being in a small base ball tery is to be held at Argenta, beginning | be present at the hanging of her brother but the sheriff will not pay any attention to such a request as the people will Illinois the greater part of the time and enough to furnish a first-class article, wish to know all about it and just how in Decatur for the past fifty years. The and including as it would, only cities it occurred. So the reporters will at remains on Thursday will be taken to the near to Bloomington, there would be tend to that part of the business, while Long Point cemetery near Niantic and such a friendly rivalry that the interest the sheriff will look after Wallace and interred there. the rope.

Sheriff Stout has letters from severa women, some from Pekin and out of town, asking that they may be permitted to witness the hanging. Such a request requires a great amount of "nerve." Possibly it is only the introduction of the new woman and an earnest of what is to come. The women may see the hanging from the roofs of the tall buildings in the vicinity if they have good

The gallows is stored away under the court house. It will be taken out on Thursday and set up. Then it will be tested, with the rope, with bags of sand for a dummy, to see it everything will

Wallace spends considerable time in writing in his cell and is just as nervy, as ever. Father Kelley, of St Joseph's Catholic church, has called on him at the jail, and so has Rev. Mr. Stewart, of Mackinaw, a minister of the Christian church, but Wallace does not talk much about his future prospects and hopes.

Clark, and vocal music was given by Miss Ollie Sutton and a male quartet.

A. H. Mills, the president, made an adfor wood puraps, iron pumps, force pumps | dress and I. E. Brown, the first president, read a letter of greeting. George Tucker gave a summary of the work of the organization. to assist Sheriff Stout in the task of March, 1877. The charter members counties to report:

hanging Albert Wallace. For over a were I. E. Brown, I. J. Davis, G. I. Champaign at Homer..... week Wallace has been busy writing a Harry, I. S. Kaufman, C. Cretors, T. Champaign at Champaign .

Champaign at Champaign print until after his death on the gal. berger, F. W. and D. C. Imboden, W. F. Brown and C. A. Hedges. From the Edgar at Paris .... No serres soft coal in this market start made by these 13 members the as. Logan at Atlanta than Lincoln or Riverton. Buy it of sociation has grown until now the mem. Morgan at Jacksonville. M. F. Mets. Personally he can be found bership numbers about 850. The first Platt at Monticell at the yard office, 800 North Broadway Y. M. C. A. hall was on Merchant street Shelby at Shelby ville For Broadway office, Old Phone, 483; and from there it was moved to the Tazewell at Delevan New Phone, 435. Also leave orders rooms over Cheap Charley's store, where with T W Cann, 628 North Main, or with Harry Metz, at King & Metz drug were secured. The members are in store. Hard coal, all sizes, always in hopes that before many years they will have a building of their own.

In the County Court, Hammer in the county court last even- Clevenger, of Oehkosh, Wis., who ing and plead guilty to an old charge of preached at the church last Sunday, conducting a gaming house. He was but it is feared that he demands a higher fined \$100 and costs, and was also fined salary than the church can afford to \$30 for gaming. He could not pay the pay. Rev. W. R. Wood, of Woodlawn fines. Because of his poor health the Chicago, will preach at the church next Judge did not send Harry to jail. He Sunday. He does not come as a candiwas allowed to go, with the understand- date, but if the congregation are pleased ing that he was to produce the amount it is possible an effort will be made to of the fines as soon as possible.

Cut His Head.

Charles Christian arrived in Decatur last night on a freight train from Springfield. He had stelen his ride, and when he made a break to get off he struck the ground too hard, injuring his head so severely that Dr. Heil had to be called to attend him. The young man will go on his way to Clinton.

Another Wife-Beater. Rogers under arrest for abusing his youngest members of the board, and is wife. Rogers is a carpenter, and his quick to perform any duty assigned to wife alleges that he has been threaten him. He asks his friends to bear in ing to do her violence. A magustrate will hear the story of the domestic and that he wants to get his name or trouble under oath, and will then fix the the ticket. punishment to fit the offense.

Addressed the Students. At the High School yesterday Superintendent Hatch, of the Oak Park Grand to night, promises to be the fun school, made an address to the students. High School in Decatur.

Ramodeling Sale.

PARSED AWAY.

of a Lady Báraed Some Time Age at Her Home

Last evening Mrs. Martha Wiggins

passed away in death at her home, 1145

not knowing that in doing so she had a go, will be a member of the Decatur Wallace's sister, Mrs. Anna Quinn, has set fire to her dress. She found it out team

A SPRINGFIELD SKYSCRAPER.

Springfield, the Capital City of Illinois, is to have a Masonic Temple of lite own, which will be built after the plan of the Chicago edifice by the society of Odd Fellows.

The building will be eight or more stories high and will have a court in the center with a skylight dome.

Two plans have been submitted to the society by the architects, one of which provides for a handsome opera house within the building.

The site chosen for the new skyscrapor, which will be one of the finest struc tures ever erected in the city, is the corner of Fourth and Monroe streets, within two blocks of the State House.

The prospect of a new opera house fills the hearts of Springfield's aristocracy with delight, for it has long yearned for a new theatre.

Hitherto some unknown reason has prevented the city from being a good show town, and the people think it is be-The members of the Y. M. C. A. gave cause they have not a sufficiently handa social last evening to celebrate the some opera house. Managers of many 19th anniversary of the organization of of the best attractions forget to include the association in this city. There was Springfield in their route, although they quite a large attendance of the members will book their companies for the ture which will then have the benefit of and friends of the association. Piano neighboring cities, Bloomington and solos were rendered by Miss Bertha Decatur, and every one feels if the city Gray, Miss Maude Evans and Miss Nita possessed a handsome, new theatre no attraction would pass them by.

DATES OF COUNTY FAIRS.

Places Where Some Exhibitions Will Be

The following is a partial list and dates

DeWitt at Farmer City . Aug. 11-14 Vermilion at Danville

Will Soon Have a Pastor.

Baptist church have not yet extended a delegates to the Macon county convencall to a minister, but they hope to have tion March 23; also to transact any one secured in a few weeks. The con-Harry Hathaway was before Judge gregation were much pleased with Rev. secure him. The church expects to omeone within the next month.

Candidate for Supervisor. Mr. J. A. Davidson, who has been a to-day as a candidate for renomination. subject to the decision of the Republican convention. Mr. Davidson has hosts him again, and there is no doubt but that Al. will have another winning boom Last night Officer Bailey placed Byron in the primaries. He is one of the mind the fact that he is a candidate,

> Little Miss Nagget. "Little Nugget" was funny, "A Cork Man" was funnier," but "Little Miss

Nugget," which will appear at the niest musical creation ever presented by He told them how some of the schools Herbert Cawthorne or any other come in other cities were conducted, and complimented the pupils on the handsome supporting cast will be seen the popular German dialect comediah, Churles A Loder, of "O What a Night" notoriety, One third off on all candies for one and Little Leols Mitchell, who caused week at Harry Sparr's, 142 Merchant such a furore in the south last season, dot | her first starring tony.

A CÉNTRAL ILLINOIS LEAGUE.

rking Up a Pro Hall Circuit

An effort is being made in Decatus to organise a base ball isague to include West Wood street, after months of suf-Bloomington, Springfield, Champaign, fering, the result of severe burns re-Danville, Streator and Decatur. Harry

A number of local enthumests twelve children, only two of whom sur- idea and the feeling was that this city Mrs. Quinn has asked Sheriff Stout vive her. They are G. W. Wiggins, of had reached a point in her growth which whom she made her home. She was a league. It might not be a strictly pronative of Kentucky and has resided in fessional league but it would be near would always be at its best.

Salvini.

It is very evident that those who would contest with Alexander Salvini for future supremacy in the field of tragedy, must look to their spars. The pupular verdict accorded his first appearance as Hamlet last ecason has become more emphasized with every repetition. The chances are largely in his favor, for those among whom he has been fighting his way, did not have to overcome as he did the obstacles of a great name of which all or nothing is expected, or ignorance of the language. Yet even before he had mastered the Anglo-Saxon tongue, his Romeo was de scribed by Mr. E. A. Barron of the Chicago Inter-Ocean as being "as divine as one of Dante's Capton." It would appour from his general attributes that of nearly all the great classic roles Hamlet would be meet saited to him, and his success in the role has occasioned the greater surprise. Imagination perhaps can more easily paint him either as Othello or Romeo. The former he has In active preparation ready for immediate production, and comidering the advantages he has had for studying the role from his father's grand portrayal, much will be expected of him. He is a ripened experience. Though Salvini has not yet discarded his remantic repertoire, his success as Hamlet has almost lost him the title of remantic actor, for which public opinion has substituted that of tragedian.

Eloped With His Niese

Frank M. Nichole, yr., and his nice Miss Nellie Forbes, a girl of fifteen The Y. M. C. A. was organized at the of county fairs that will be held in Illi- summers, eloped Monday night from ations to go to Pekin on Saturday next | First Methodist church in this city in pois this year. There are still 42 their homes near Stonington, and their whereabouts are unknown. When they left they were mounted on two bay ......Aug. 25-28 horses, the property of the senior ........ Aug. 25-29 Nichole, who has communicated with Sept. 8-12 the chiefs of police of neighboring Aug. 31-Sept. 4 towns, giving them a description of the .. Sept. 1-4 elopers and the stolen horses and setting .Sept. 7-21 | them that they be arrested. - Toylorville Breeze.

Mt. Zion Republican The Republicans of Mt. Zion town ship are requested to meet at Republican Hail on Saturday, March 21, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of sominating a township ticket, and to other business that may come before the meeting. J. B. HEFRY, Chap'n.

Chattel Mortgage Sale. I will sell at public sale at the Court House in Decatur, Ill., a lot of buggies, double and single harness; twenty head of horses, and one Jersey cow, 3 years old. Sale will begin at one o'clock in the afternoon of March 14, 1898. mchl0-d4 H. K. MIDEIFF, Constable.

An Improved Cooking Utensil.

The Sege's non-burning sence pan is now on sale in this city. It is of tin make with a steel bottom, with a sheet of asbestos between the steel and tin. most excellent member of the county making it impossible to burn. The arti-board during the past year, is announced cle is for sale at Morgan's Baser, the sole agents.

To become an electrician or an indus trial, mechanical, railroad or mining en of friends who will be pleased to vote for gineer, the Cuban must go to a foreign country.

> Highest Honors-World's Pair, ·DR:



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### Dailer Republican



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of Bell's Cough Syrup. You may no know its merita as a cure for coughs and D. Smith. colds, but the many who have used it recommend it strongly-you will after the first trial. For sale only by

Bell The Druggist. Opposite Review Building.



WEDNEDAY, MARCH 11, 1896.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. Unicasio, in., March, 11, 1886.
The Earth 1 can is indebted to is. 2. Taylor dealer in grain, geovisions and snoth, with on respondents in Offickey, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quota

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Sc lower. Light, \$3.80@84.17%; mixed, \$3.90@84.12%; heavy, \$4.00@84.10, rough, \$3.85@\$8.95.

24 134; heavy, 34.00@64 10, rough, 23.85@33.85.
Estimated for to-morrow, 20.000.
Cattle receipts 10.000, market strong.
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LOMDON, 1 p. m.—Off coast, wheat casy, 5c lewer; earn quiet. Op passage, wheat nothing deing, 3d k wer, Corn dull; English country markets casy-attlectice. French country markets casy-attlectice. French country markets casy-attlectice.

NEW YORK STOCKS. NEW YORK March 11.—Stocks säght changes, continued till eleven general list be ween cleven and tweive Ope. style. irations on very heavy scale. Gains in general

NEW YORK MARKET
NEW YORK March 11.—Butter, steady, 14@ 22. Eggs, steady, 31 - @113. Wheat, May, 71%. Corn May, 36)2. Oats. May, 254.

82% LOUIS MARKET red. 25c, May, 625c. Corn. cash, 254, May Oberly will hold regular services and 25c. Oats, cash 185, May, 205.

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\* "POULTRY MARKET

sted daily by Max Atlas & Co. Sales of Real Estate

K. H. Roby to C. P. Thatcher, a lot on East North street, the Roby-\$7,000. C. A. Ewing to Laura S. Allen, the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of 2; part of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of 22, also a tract of 5 chains by 10 chains, in the northwest quarter of 26, all in 16, 2 street

east—VIU.
S. Shively to John A. Cripe, tract of land in 19, 17, 4 nest—\$100.
S. A. Garrett to Elii S. Parks, lot 17, block k. Rens haw's addition—\$1,600.
R. J. Oglesby to W. H. King, lot 1, block 2, Oglesby & Wait's addition—\$175.

For tele-A Rig Bargain

The property at the southeast corner of Main and Wood streets-first prop erty south of Imboden's meat marketsuitable for dwelling, boarding house or

business property. Must be sold, and will go as a great sacrifice. Apply to W. Z. WALESLEY, 10-dtf ever Cheap Charley's Store.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

S. D. May is convalescent.

John A. Reeve is in Carlinville to-day J. W. Race has returned from Chicago. Adam Balmer has returned from Cal-

Mr. and Mrs. Ass Somerville, of Chi-

H. L. Oldham went to Danville this orning on a business trip. Dr. W M Catto is in Warrensburg to

lay on professional business. Oscar Dawson, who has been ill for everal days, is able to be out. Diller Wolfe, of Penfield, Ill., is in the

city visiting his uncle, F. O. Damrow. Mrs. David Barrett, of Atwood, is in \$3 and costs for disorderly conduct by the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. Justice Peddecord this morning.

Dr. N. D. Myers, who has been ill for some time past, is some better, but he is not yet able to be out.

Rice Irwin, of Tuecola, R. E. Persinger, of Maroa, and A. Cazalet, of Assump tion, are in the city to day.

Mrs. J. A. McCoy returned to her home in Oakley yesterday after an ex-tended visit with Decatur friends.

Mrs. W. M. Catto will leave to mor-row for Florada. She will be gone about two months in hopes of improving her

Mrs. Samuel Lord, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lucien Shel labarger, left last night for her home in

Miss Patti Anderson expects to re-turn to her home in Owensboro, Ky., to-day. She has been visiting friends in the city for several weeks.

W. J. Maxwell, of the Dan Suily Comedy company, and W. S. Butterfield, of the "A Baggage Check" company, are at the St. Nicholas hotel to day.

Mrs. Alice Pollock and Miss Lucy Pollock, who have been in the city visit-ing C. A. Pollock and family, have re-turned to their home in Banville.

C. H. Dects for Sancrylear.

In another column is the announce ment of C. H. Deetz as a candidate for assistant supervisor, subject to the action of the Republican township convention. A year ago Mr Deetz lacked only a few votes of getting the nomination. This time he will make a closer canvass and he wants all of his friends to remember him favorably in the primaries Mr. Deetz is an earnest Republican and a good worker who would make a very careful and useful member of the county board.

Conservator Bunn's Report. About a year ago D. L. Bunn was appointed conservator for Isaac Shellareported that he had received cash to the amount of a little over \$10,000, and had paid out about \$8200 Settlements of various matters have been effected, including the claim for \$2000 against Hog receipt: 32,000; estimated 20,000. Market Mr. Oliver at Wichita, Kansas. It was

Elected Captain

At the meeting of Decatur Division, No. 36, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pyshias, held last night, A. T. Grist was elected captain and he at once entered upon the performance of his duties. It is a position that Captain Grist hasheld in past years, and being an old vet in the Pythian military service he will com-Desange in tobaccp completes overshadowed mand the division in the most approved

Services at St. Luke's Chapel, Rev Frank C. Oberly, pastor of the English Lutheran church, will conduct services to morrow evening at St. Luke's chapel. The chapel is a branch of the church, and the Sunday school has ST. LOUIS, March LL.-Wheat, cash No 2, grown to such proportions that Mr.

preach at the chapel occasionally. Former Resident Visits Decatur. in this city and conducted a commission from the city Wm. B. Newell, wife, son customed to getting \$350 to \$4.00 for business, visited the city to day. Mr. and daughter, Mrs. Emery Hall and But about toes. The styles this season Birt left Decatur six years age and he children, J. A Jennings and Mrs. James are the Oriental, the New Opera, the had not been to the city since that time. Hall. The young people are well and New Woman, the Century and the Nar-He says that he finds many changes and favorably known and many friends con- row Square. They are all pretty and we 4.00@450 improvements. He is now making his home at Savoy, Ul.

Snow and Wind.

There was another drop in the temperature last night—down to 30 degrees above zero. Snow began falling at 3 all blown away by the wind, which has Mages is so well and favorably known has been rather brisk all day. It promi ses to be colder to-night

One third off on all candies for one week at Harry Snarr's, 142 Merchant

Don't invite disappointment by experimenting Depend upon One Minute Course and you have immediate relief. It cures croup. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. West's Drug Store.

At the Congressional church parsonage, by W. C. Miller, March 10, John H. Reserv. and Great Offers to Plane and Organ Purchasers For twenty days we offer greater into the country days we offer greater into th

SOOTHING, healing, cleaneing, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the enemy to sores wounds and piles, which it never fails to cure. Stops itching and burning. Cures chapped lips and cold-sores in two or three hours. West's Drug store.

A HIGH-LIVER With a torpid liver will In the last twenty eight years Spain has built only 139 kilometres of high-roads in Cubu.

not be a long liver. Correct the liver time. Her death was not unexpected. She is with DeWitt's Little Early Risers. little survived by her husband, John Raether, and five this that cure dyspepsia and constipation. West's drug store.

WE are authorized to announce C. H. Deerz and the little survived by her husband, John Raether, and five this tooks a candidate for Assistant Supervisor, subject to the decision of the Republican township converted.

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### THIRTY POUNDS OF MEAT.

Makes Trouble and Ends in a Trial in Justice Provest's Court To-day.

George Elliott, of Maroa, was tried today in Justice Provest's court for stealing thirty pounds of meat from W. H. Cross, also of Maroa. On January 31 J. T. Cannon went to St. Louis to day the two men were in Decatur and the meat was given by Cross to Elhott with T. P. Matthews left last night on a the directions that the latter deliver it trip to Salt Lake City. at Maroa. It seems that the meat never reached the right man, and Cross had a warrant sworn out for Elliott, charging him with stealing the meat. The case came up this afternoon in Justice Provost's court.

John R. Dougherty appeared in Justice Shorb's court to day to answer the charge of selling liquor on Sunday. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$25.

Two disceputable women were fined

WANT HAMILTON OUT.

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It will be recalled that Calvin F. Hoff, ilias Charles F. Huff, a Wabash fireman, met his death in a collision at Carpenter a few months ago. Soon after a Decatur lady claiming to be the wife of Charles F. Huff went into the county court, and had W. J. Hamilton, of Decatur, appointed administrator. To day Rosa Hoff, who has a son and has been living at Chinton, was in the county court and said she was the first and only wife of Calvin F. Hoff, alias Charles F. Huff, and that she had never been di-Robert Wilson, the tweve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, is ill at the home of his grandparents on East to have Hamilton removed as administrator. The case will be investigated at the April term of the county court. There seems to be a matrimonial mix in the case which may be easily unraveled

Woman's Exchange Meeting.

The annual meeting of the board of directors of the Woman's Exchange was held this morning at the home of Mrs. A. T. Hill, on Prairie avenue. The following officers were re elected to serve for the ensuing year.

President—Mrs. A. T. Hill. First—Vice-president—Mrs. A. R Montgomery: Second Vice-president—Mrs. J. M. Maris.

Secretary—Mrs. D. R. Alexander. Treasurer—Mrs. Woodard The officers, together with the follow ing ladies will compose the board of directors: Mrs. J. B. Bullard, Mrs. W. R. Bresie, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Frank

Roach and Miss Luetta Ullrich. The secretary, Mrs. Alexander, reported on the work that had been done during the past year.

The treasurer's report for the month of February showed the following: Sales for the month, \$385 62, fees, \$1 50: lunches, \$13; total receipts, \$400.12. Ex barger. To day he filed his report in penses for the month, \$79.63; paid to dethe county court. It was approved. He positors,\$327.33; total \$406.96. This makes the exchange \$6.44 behind on the month but as February is one of the worst months in the year for making sales the lades expect that the deficit will more than be made up in the months that will follow.

It was decided to hold the annual meeting in February in the future in stead of March.

Happity Wedded.

On Tuesday evening, March 10, at 6 clock, Rev. A. M. Danely united in marriage Mr. Howard R. Newell, of De-catur, and Miss Sadie J. Hall, of Wheat-land. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. D. A. Hall, living two miles east of Elwin, where the marriage was marriage Mr. Howard R. Newell, of De-Elwin, where the marriage was celebrated in the presence of a few near relatives, of the couple. Mrs. Hall Anderson, M. M. Arnett, Lizzle Authors, Claudly guests, after which an elaborate lunch was spread for a number of jolly young men living in that vicinity who came around with sleigh belis and tin pans to celebrate the happy event. All heartily enjoyed the evening and went their way wishing that such occurrences might but we frequently tread upon the toe be repeated often in the jour of our competitors when they see us W. W. Birt, who for some years lived ney of life. There were present selling shoes at \$3.00 that they are acgratulate them in this auspicious begin- bave them in all sizes and widths in ning of wedded life.

Mr. Magee for Supervisor.

Mr. W. J. Magee is formally announced to day as a candidate for assistant supervisor, subject to the action of the o'clock this morning, but it was nearly Republican township convention. Mr. to the people generally that he needs no saloon on Water street open, with parties introduction as to his personality nor as inside having a time. Mr. Higgins was to his qualifications for the position He placed under arrest. The parties had has been a resident of Macon county been out to a ball, and in passing had over forty years, and was the steward of dropped in to take a smile. the poor farm for a long time. He is Great Offers to Plane and Organ Purchaser

MARRIED.

At the Congregational church parsonage, by Rev W.C Miller, March 10, John B Beery and per cent of its revenues. Spain attends to the other 97.25 per cent.

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Philipper cent of its revenues. Spain attends the home of the home of the home of the home. At 105 North Clinton street, the home of the bride, March 9, by Rev. L. Fleid, of the United Brethren church, William Magee and Miss Ada M. Kelso.

At the family home, 1654 North Union street, at 4 50 p. m. March 10, of consumption, Mrs. Elizabeth Racther, aged 42 years. The deceased had been an invalid for a long years ago.

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### Monday Morning we will place on sale:

25 doz. men's Linen Collars, worth 15c, at

10 doz. men's Merino Socks, worth 25c, at

20 doz. men's Caps worth 50c, at 25c. 10 doz. men's unlined Work Gloves, worth

Extra new stock men's Negligee Shirts, Neckties, Night Robes, Hosiery, and Under-

vear on sale. Linen Batiste (natural color) sheer and ine. The new wash fabric at 25, 35, 50c yd.

Full line Batiste, all over, edge and inser-

New Laces in Point Lierre, Maline Lierre, Applique, two toned Dentelle, Jacquard, etc. New Bands in Honiton, Batiste, Point

A full line of Persian and Printed Warp.

### New Spring Dress Goods.

Mohair, Jacquard, Mohair Serges, Silk Finished Henriettas, Silk and Wool Taffetas, Pin Checks, Hair Stripes, Mohair Boucles, Vigouroux Suitings, Paris and Berlin Robes, everything new and at popular prices.

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Kolb, Adam
Layton, John
McClellan, C F
Munger, F, M,
Pease, R, M
Porter, Charles
Rambo, Charles
Reist, Charley and Ed
Roady, C. C.
Selletrom, J. A
Shanks, Geo, W,
Smith, H, S,
Smith, Mr., and Mrs,
W, O.

Stewart, Grace Stewart, Jennie Willis, Gertie Willis, Nettles

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Look Out for Your Toes.

both men's and women's.

The Big Snoe Street, Temple Block.
WALTER HUTCHIN. The Big Shoe Store, 355 North Water

Saloon Pulled.

hour of 8 o'clock found the Dan Higgins

The officers this morning at the dizzy

PHILLIPS & WOOD.

Martin Blenz has made a bill of sale

of his saloon property at 257 South Park

street, to Hugh Martin. The considera-

Ar Havana real estate has fellen to one-half and one-third of its value ten

tion was \$591.

326 North Water St.

JERRY DONAHUR, P. M.

The following is a list of letters rereaining un-called for at the Decatur, Ill, postoffice March 10, 1896. Please say advertised when called for:

Busher, John
Caln, James
Cash, George M.
Chapman, Jim
Cochran, W. H.
Cox, Ira L.
Crandall, Robert
Crosby, J. T.
Downling, Robert

### SPECIALS.

36-inch French Serges (black and navy) for 29c yard.

36-inch Mohair Serges (black and navy) for 22c yard.

### SILKS.

Plain Chinas, all colors, 25c yd. 27-inch Black China, 50c yard. Fancy Taffetas, 23 in. wide, 75c yd.

One case 36-in. fine Bleached Muslin, Lonsdale make), while they last at 5%c yd. 20 pieces check glass Toweling, assorted checks, at 5c yard.

100 dozen all Linen Bleached Napkins, full § size, your choice 98c a doz.

One case best American Dress Gingham, choice styles, all at 10c yard.

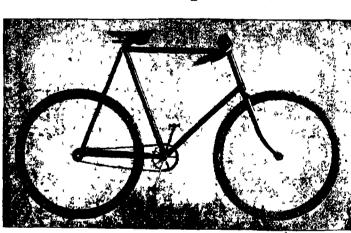
100 pieces 36-inch Percales, every piece a different pattern, a rare bargain at Sc yard. New stamped Linens, Sofa Pillows, Headrests, Silk Throws, Table Covers, Laundry Bags, etc.

Special on Silk Waists, from 98c to \$18. 240 Misses' Jackets, 8 to 18 years, \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.49 and \$5.

Ladies' Reefer Suits; box coat and skirt. black and tan mixed, \$9.98.

# A full new line of the unequalled Crippin Russell Wrappers and Tea Gowns. The "Kenwood"

...and "Dodd Special," Lead.



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Our REPAIR SHOP, which will be ready for operation about MARCH 10th, We don't mean to step on your toes will be equipped with the VERY LATEST devices for the MANUFACTURE AND REPAIR of Bicycles. JOHN HOYLE, of Chicago, FOREMAN.

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J. B. Bullard,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

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# The Truth About X Rays.

A Correct and Lucid Statement of the Facts About the New Photography.

Gross Exaggérations Are Current, Yet Wonderful Results Have Been Attained—What Scientists Really Think— Theories and Possibilities.

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ered by Prof. Roentgen, of Wurzburg university, continues to attract much attention, the scientific world being largely occupied with the question:
"What is it?" while the general public is more interested in the question "What will it do?" Reports of experiments by Prof. Roentgen and his followers have made one answer to the latter question familiar—the rays discovere by him will pass through many sub-stances that are opaque to ordinary light, and since they will affect a photgraphic plate just as light does, shadow pictures of objects enclosed in opaque



graph" applied to these shadow pictures is unfortunate, as by a photograph we usually understand a picture of an object taken by light reflected from that oblect. No such nicture can be taken by the newly discovered radiations. They cannot take, for instance, a full-face picture of a man, though they can throw a shudow of his profile on the sensitive plate. And, since they can traverse flesh more easily than bone, the bones in the shadow-picture of a man's hund stand out bluck while the surrounding flesh appears dimmer.

To this somewhat sensational discovery that the skeletor of a living being can be photographed, or "shadov-graphed," while it is yet clothed with flesh, we are indebted probably for the great public interest shown in Prof. Roentgen's discovery, for that discovery is only the latest development of a series of investigations that have been going on for the past 30 years in England and Germany, none of which have attracted great popular attention, al-though they have been eagerly fol-lowed and discussed by students.

Ever since the mercury air pump was made so perfect that nearly all the air could be pumped out of a glass bulb, the behavior of the remnant has been noiced and wondered at. It is so peculiar that the air remaining in such high vacua is often said to be in a "fourth state of matter," the other three states of matter being respectively the solid, the liquid and the gaseous. If two metal points be soldered into the bulb so that a rapidly alternating current of electricity can be passed through the gas from an induction coil, we have what is called a "Crookes tube," so named from William Crookes, the dis tinguished English physicist and chemist, from whose experiments the first ear light on these phenomena wa gained. When the exhaustion of the tube is sufficiently high there proceed



Photographed by Mr A. A. C. Swinton through a piece of black vulcanized fiber 0212 inch thick; exposure four minutes

(Mr Swinton's own Hand.)

from the negative electric pole (called by physicists the "cathode") faint ray or streamers, which have been named 'cathode rays." These move in straight lines and cause many objects on which they are directed to shine with a wor derfully beautiful phosphorescent light. They also exert pressure, as was beautifully shown by Cicokes, who con-**8**1.19 structed one of his tubes with a minia All the Leading Brands ture glass railway within it, on whic's olled a little wheel like a windmill When the cathode rays struck this the wheel rolled rapidly from one end of the at prices to suit your purse. tube to the other. The magnetic attraction. All these discoveries were tube to the other. The steam could Don't miss this sale which will last but not so sensational from a popular poirt of view as the photography of an invisi-6 days; come and get an up-to-date corset ble object, but they were more so to scientists, for at first sight they seemed inexplicable, and they convulsed the scientuic world for a long time. Finally most people settled down to acceptance of Crookes' explanation, which considpred the "rays" to be streams of air par ticles (probably actual molecules—the amallest particles obtainable) charged with electricity and shown of from the

The curious form of radiation discov- the phenomenon appeared only in a high Fig. 2. vacuum was, according to him, that in air or gas of ordinary density, even the der the bell of an old-fashioned air pump, the molecules are not free to move for sensible distances without striking against one another—their "free path," in other words, was two small. This explanation has been given without comment in most of the orthodox books on physics. But about two years ago, German experimenters threw a bombshell into the English camp by showing that the cathode raye would pass through thin films or sheets of certain metals, and that by inserting an aluminum "window" in the glass tube they could even be made to pass out into ordinary air. Hence, it was argued they could not be streams of molecules, but must be a kind of light, and Lenard, one of the German investigators, pointed out, in additional sur-jort of this view, that the rays would produce photographic impressions. If he had followed this up, Roentgen's discovery would have been antedated. As it is, these experiments have again thrown into doubt a matter that was once thought by many to be definitely explained. The English stand by Crookes, the Germans by Lenard, and

> plexity. If the rays are streams of electrified gas, how do they strike through solid objects and take photo-graphs? If they are a kind of light, why do they drive windmills and follow magnet? It can now be seen that Roentgen's discovery was only the logical outcome of a long series of previous experi-ments. To say this is not to belittle him, for this is the usual course of dis-

each side has obtained new experiment

al evidence that only adds to our per-

covery and invention Roentgen's discovery is that the cathode rays, or that part of them capable of taking photographs, or perhaps a second kind of rays generated by them, will pass not only through an aluminum window but through the glass sides of the tube itself and through most rolid sub-

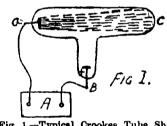


Fig. 1.—Typical Crookes Tube Showing Cathode Rays.—A. Induction It must not be assumed, nowever, ing Cathode Rays.—A. Induction that all processes of photographing by that all processes of photographing by Fig. 1.—Typical Crookes Tube Show coil —a. Negative pole or Cathode. b. Positive pole c. Rays

tances, and that they will so pass with different degrees of case. If they passed through all substances alike, the shadow pictures already referred to these last, as well as with the invisible could not be taken, it is only because, ultra-violent rays of the extreme upper for instance, the bones are more opaque part of the spectrum. The Roentgen to them than the flesh that we can make discovery, like most widely-noticed dis-

He made the discovery by noticing that the way of the photography of the in-Crookes tube, over which a cloth had been thrown, gave out a gleam whenever the current was sent ti rough the tube, although the cloth prevented the tube's light from being seed. The discoverer is decadedly of the opinion that the rays which pass the glass walls of the tube are not the calnode rays, but a hitherto unknown kind of rays generated by the catnode rays in the glass itself. Hence he calls them the X rays, since the letter A 13 used in algebra to designate an unknown quentity. He pases his conclusion largery on the fact that a magnet will not deflect the new rays, while its power over the cathode rays is one of their most pe-culiar characteristics. Others note the fact that Lenard discovered some time ago that the cathode rays were not simple, but made up of several different kinds of radiation, some of which were deflected by the magnet more easily than others.

Roentgen suggests, in / accordance ether, instead of crosswise. as those of ordinary light are supposed to be. any new phenomenon should be as-cribed to them. But Roentgen himself admits that there is not yet any positive evidence of his views

The discovery once made, the experiments were quickly repeated and amplified all over the world, since they nor costly apparatus In this country stead at lale, by Prof. Trowbridge at Harvard, by Prof. Pupus at Columbia, and by Thomas A. Edison. to do with the mouse's recovery. One of the directions in whi discoveries may follow is that

electrical machine. The reason that large number of shot in the body of a with a fluorescent substance instead

rabbit, and in Montreal a bullet was found in a man's leg by the same means. No one has yet succeeded, however, in photographing any of the .r.ternal or-gams of the body, for the obvious rea-son that these organs transmit the rays about as well as the surrounding flesh, and hence cast no separate shedow. No very sensational results in this line can be looked for probably, unless POPULAR ERRORS CORRECTED the sensitiveness of the process is much increased, and all reports that Mr. Edition, or any one else is prepared to photograph the human brais, with any



ranged that the Rays when Deflected by a Magnet, turn a Mil. AA. Elec-trodes.—B. Windmill.—C. Rays, con-centrated by mirror.—M. Magnet.

prospect of cuccess, may be tooked upon with suspicion.

One direction in which the invention promises to be particularly useful is in the letection of flaws in metal, as in castings, armor plate, etc. A weld so thiely made as to be quite invisible to the naked cyc is brought out at once in a shadow-photograph by the Roentgen

The process of making the shadowphotographs, as at precent carried out, is of the simplest. The object is placed on the plateholder, and the Crookes tube is suspended close above, thus throwing a shadow of the object through the plateholder, on the plate within. The feat may be performed in broad day light, since surlight can not penetrate the plateholder, while the X rays can.

Shadow photographs have also been made recently by placing the object and the plate between electrodes in open air, without the intervention of the Crookes tubes at all. This, however, is not cathode photography, but the

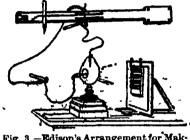
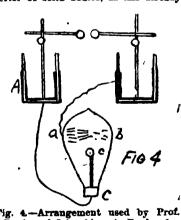


Fig. 3.—Edison's Arrangement for Making Roentgen Shadowgraphs.

development of a form of electro-magnetic photography that has been per-formed many times within the past two years. More than a year ago a photograph of a coin made in the dark by Prof. Sanford, of Leland Stanford uniersity, by laying it on a photographic plate and subjecting it to a powerful alternating discharge, was reproduced in a large number of technical papers. The sensitive plate in this case is affected by electro magnetic waves proceeding across it. It is possible, however, that there is a rea' connection between this process and cathode photography, and that when this connection is known the whole mystery of the cathode ray. will be cleared up.

It must not be assumed, however,

invisible rays are the same. There are many kınds of invisible rays; for instance, those of musible heat, as from a stove that is not heated to redness. It is now possible to photograph with a shadow photograph of the skeleton coveries, has been productive of a large amount of sensational predictions and The actual discovery war made by foolish suggestions, many of them the accident, and in his original description of it, read at Wurzburg last mouth, Prof. Roentgen does not dwell particularly on the photographic near that larly on the photographic possibilities. great practical results will follow in



Pupin, of Columbia.—A. B. Leyden jars.—C. O. Single Electrode of vacuum bulb.—a. Strip of tinfoil on outside.-b. Rays.

with the general German belief, that the cathode rays are a kind of light, or at least akin to light, that the new so far. The possibility that the rays rays are vibrations lengthw se in the may have some peculiar effect on the human system has excited interest, but none has yet been discovered, although Thomas A. Edison has announced that Such vibrations have long been looked Thomas A. Edison has announced that for by physicists, and it is natural that he is about to experiment on their properties as germ killers. As is well known, ordinary sunlight is fatal or injurious to the growth of disease germs, and the new rays may possibly be more so. During a recent attempt to photograph a mouse with the rays the animal, which was supposed to be require no very delicate manipulation drowned, revived, and this incident was made the most of in a sensational manthey have been performed with great success by Prof. Wr.ght and Mr. Bum-

One of the directions in which new and by Thomas A. Edison.

The possible use of the Roentgen dering the image or shadow cast by shadow-photography in surgery was the rays visible to the eye. A process suggested in the first reports of the proposed by Mr. Thompson, a New York electrical engineer, is to receive the negative pole or cathode just as a discovery. Prof. Wright has succeed. electrical engineer, is to receive the enarged pith ball in repelled from an ed by its means in locating exactly a shadow picture on a surface covered

grees, according to the proportion of the rays transmitted by the object, and a shadow picture of it would thus appear corresponding to the shadow pho-tographs already taken. This process has not been developed in detail, but there seems to be no reason why it should not succeed, although the hopes of the inventor, if, as alleged, he expects by its aid to see the human heart beating in the living body, may never be realized. It must be remembered, er, that in a discovery of this Lind delicacy of result depends largely on perfection of detail in the process and the generation that has

and the generation that has denighing development of the modern photograph, together with the himstoscope, the timphone and the phonograph, food tot be surprised at anything in this line. Only the skeption may be padented for wishing to see before they fully believe.

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In Qualifying Through the Press of th United States the Actions of the Congress-The Post Office Appropriation Bill in the House.

SENATE.

Washington, March 10.-The action of the Spanish minuter in correcting or qualifying, through the United States uba and particularly on the subject of Gen. Weyler's purpose and character, was yesterday made the groundwork of a question of personal privilege by Senator Lodge (Mass.). It was brough up immediately after the reading of the journal, and occupied most of the time usually given to the business of the morning hour.

Mr Lodge protested against any diplomatic representative using the newspapers of the United States to criticise senutors for words spoken in debate, and intimated that in any other country a foreign minister who should be guilty of such a violation of the proprieties would be sent home

Minister de Lome's action was rather palliated by Mr. Gray (Del.), although he admitted that it was a technical violation of diplomatic usage

Mr. Teller (Col.) was less benignantly inclined. Under the circum stances he would not, if he were president, send the Spanish minister home, but he would suggest to him that a repetition of the offense would necessitute his leaving the country. added that Spain would have a right to take offense at the recognition by the United States of Cuban belliger ency, out would not have a right to go to war on account of it He avowed the delight he would feel if he learned to-day that Havana was in the hands of the insurgents, and that the Spanish forces had been driven into the

The discussion was continued for over an hour, and half, and when it terminated another phase of the Cubsu question presented itself in the shape of a resolution which had been offered yesterday by Mr. Hoar (Mass ) to postpone the further consideration of the conference report till the 6th of April, and to direct the committee on foreign relations to report in the meantime the facts on which the resolution was

A rather acrimonious dialogue took place between Mr. Hoar and Mr. Sher-man, which seemed to amuse senators

Mr. Morgan (Ala.) was drawn into it by an allusion to his remarks some weeks ago about laying the sword on the table and allowing Spain to take it up if she chose

Mr Hoar's resolution went over till to-morrow, when he is to speak upon t at some length. The rest of the day's session was

given to the Delaware election case, Mr Turpie (Ind.) continuing, but not finishing his speech against Mr Dupont's right to the seat and, at 4:40 o'clock the senate adjourned until to-

The annual fight in the house of epresentatives against the appropriation of \$196,000 for "special and necessary facilities over the trunk lines between Boston and New Orleans," carried in the bill for the past 17 years, engaged the attention of the house toengaged the attention of the notice day, in the course of the consideration of the post office appropriation bill It was precipitated by Mr. Loud (rep., Cal.), in charge of the bill, making a point of order that it was an appropriation for a purpose not authorized

was overruled by the chair (Mr Payne, tep, N Y), who followed several precedents in rulings to that effect, going back as far as the forty-fourth

Later Mr Loud moved to strike out out the stem, but this was defeated on vote by tellers-03 to 114 Previously, on a division, the vote was ayes 100, noes 95; so the item remains in the bill.

Paragraphs providing appropriations for similar facilities between Kansas City and Newton, Kan, and between Chicago and Omaha were stricken out on points of order.

The provisions of the bill setting forth in detail the regulations under which street car mail service should be conducted, the prices to be paid, etc , were stricken out on a point of order made by Mr Pickter (rep., S. D ). This necessitated an increase of \$70, 000 in the item of car fare and bicycle allowance to carriers Only two or three miscellaneous matters were disposed of in the session-

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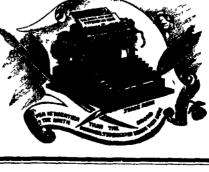
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STATE OF ILLINOIS ( MACON COUNTY, ) In the Circuit Court of Macon

Master in Chancery's S.

B. W. Munson vs Anna R Smith et al-Porcelose Mortgage No 15464 Public notice is hereby given that pursu-a decree of the circuit court of Macos of Illinois, in the above entitled causo, enter the January term, 1885, of said court, I. Jar Fina, muster in-chancery of said court, Saturday, the 21st Day of March, at 2 o'clock p m, at the north door of the house, in the city of Decatur, in said cour fer for asis at public vendue for cash in subject to redemption according to law, the lowing described premises, to with Lot eight (28) in block one (1) of Durfee Wa Co.'s ist addition to the city of Decatur, con censer, villable. co. e ht addition to the cay of Possett, Concentry, Illinois, this 28th Pebuary, 1886

JAMES J. FINN, Master-in-Change Monson, Complainant's Sol. feb28 dtd

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Dased at Decatur, litinols, March 7th,
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350 Ladies' Percale Shirt Waists, extra big sleeves, at 38c. 150 Wrappers, made fancy, with yoke for \$10 and \$12, for this sale, \$6.25 and ruffles, big sleeves, savings bank and ruffles, big sleeves, savings bank price, only 68c.

300 Ladies' Black Fancy Wrappers, varranted fast colors, made up very pretty, savings bank price, only 89c. 300 Boys' Waists, savings bank price,

500 pairs Ladies Black Hose, savings bank price, only 5c pair.

100 Boys' Cassimere Knee Suits, bet ter quality, savings bank price, only \$1.85. 100 Men's All Wool Suits, sold all over

full size, at 23c.
25 dozen Men's Working Overshirts,

Cheviot, at 29c.

25 dozen Men's Working Overshirts,
Cheviot, better quality, at 38c.

25 dozen Men's White Overshirts,
double back, double front, linen bosom,

1 dozen Men's Soft Fedora Hats

500 pairs Men's Socks, savings bank price, only 5c pair.

1 dozen Men's Sott Fedora Hats, black and colors, at 48c 25 dozen Men's Silk Suspenders at 10c.

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Master in Chancery's Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS ( 88

It we circuit court of macon county, himors,
I'w Munson vs. Anna R Smith et al.—Bill to
Poreclose Mortgage. No 16464.
Public notice is hereby given that pursuant to
decree of the circuit court of Macon county,
Illinois, in the above entitled cause, entered as
the January term, 1889, of said court, I, James J.
Pins, master-in-chancery of said court, will on Saturday, the 21st Day of March, 1896, it 2 o'clock p m., at the north door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, ofter for sale at public vendue for cash in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the following described premises, to-wit-Lot twenty-light (28) in block one (1) of Durfee, Warren & Co.'s 1st addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois.

o. a set addition to the city of Decatur, in Ma-on county, Illinois.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 28th day of "cbruary, 1886. J. FINN. Master-in-Chancery. Was MONSON, Complainant's Sol. feb28 dki.

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Saturday, March 28, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., at the front door of the court house in the city of Deustur. In said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the following described res-estate Lot thren (8), block four (4), in East Hark Boulevards, in the City of Decatar, in Macon county IIII.

Dulty, III.
Daled at Decatur, Illinois, March 7th, 1898
JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery
W. C. Johns, Solicitor.
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mills, with their combined capacity of 17,500 barrels a day. Mill A alone makes more flour than any other two mills on earth.

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### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

\*\*Estate of John Y. Britten, becaused.
The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of John Y. Braden, decassed, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county out of Macon and state the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of faving the same adjusted. All persons included to said estate are requested to make tramediate rayment to the undersigned.

Dated this 22d day of February, 1896.

1. E. BRADEN, Executor.

Riection Notice.

They will be an election by distance office, of the state of William B. Shrum, deceased. The understand having been appointed executive for County Title. Assume the floors of the state of William B. Shrum, deceased. The understand having been appointed executive for the state of the st EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

ing of Yacht Committee.

The Globe Defends Lord Dunraven, Clair ing His Position as a Sportsman is Uninjured—St. James Gazette Thinks He Ought to Apologise.

Of the London papers, only the Pali Mall Gazette, the Globe and St. James Gazette comment upon the finding of the New York Yacht club committee against Lord Dunraven in the charges which the latter brought against Defender's handlers.

The Globe heads a somewhat sarcastic article "Lord Dunraven Justified" and

"The committee would have done better to flatly refuse to prosecute an inquiry, which their action made of no value."

In regard to the evidence the Globe

remarks:

"It is a little unfortunate that so much cutting up and transferring of lead on the Defender and Hattle Palmer should be going on at the time Lord Dunrayen thought he noticed a difference in the load water line, and the necessity which compelled Herreshoff to withdraw his valuable as sistance from the committee of inquiry after being informed that he would be cross-examined on the following Monday is deeply to be regretted and must be very painful to himself.

"The real blame for the whole business falls upon the shoulders of the original committee, which appears about as unbusinessities a body as one could meet. Unless they show themselves capable of bringing some small modicum of common sense to bear upon the arrangements of an international contest we earnestly trust no English weaterna."

national contest we earnestly trust no Eng-lish yachtman will challenge again. We are unable to see that Lord Dunraven's position as a sportsman is injured."

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"We hope the incident will close international contests between England and America Lately there has been so much ill-feeing that it would almost be a matter of regret that they should continue We are told that Yale intends to row at Henley Let every one concerned do his best to prevent any unfriendly feeling resulting from the visit, and possibly then, in time, another challenge may be issued for the America's cup"

America's cup "'

The St. James Gazette, however, has an excellent article beaded "A Case for Apology," and says:

"The report makes clear, firstly, that a "The report makes clear, firstly, that a very seilous accusation was brought by Lord Dunraven on the filmsiest possible evidence secondly, that the New Yolk Yacht club has given his londship a severe lesson in fairness and good manners. Lord Dunraven, in support of his charge, produced only impressions and guesswork. If an accusation of unfair running was investigated by the Jockey club and found to have no better origin, we doubt if the club would confine itself to use the mild world "mistake."

The St. James Gazette concludes. "Lord Dunraven owes it to himself as a

gentleman to applogize to those he accused without justification." RIVAL OF SCHLATTER.

### Visitors Say He Has Performed Some Wonderful Cures.

James Burke, the divine healer, continues to draw great crowds of people suffering with bodily afflictions at Sagnaw, Mich. So great is the demand for his services that Burke has been compelled to give up his room at his boarding house and make his headquarters at the Second Baptist church, where he holds forth all day. He says people come for him at all hours, and he has had little sleep since coming here. All the time the church is packed to the doors, many being unable to obtain ad-

William Perry declares that his wife. who had dropsy, and had been given up by five doctors, is so far recovered after one treatment by Burke as to be able to walk about the house. The indications are she will soon be well.

William H. Lockyear had had the ncuralgia so bad he had prayed for death. One treatment by Burke and he was well.

Elizabeth Jerome had defective evesight for years and oculists could give no relief. One touch from Burke and she was cured. Many others gave similar testimony.

### GERMANS MUST SHAVE.

William Orders His Soldiers to Wear There is a panic in Kiel and Wilhelm-

shafen—the centers of the German nuvy-because a decree has gone forth requiring all officers and men to go about clean shaven or else to wear full beards. This means that the mustache must go, and the mustache is an importunt feature in the facial adornment of the Germans, whether in the imperial service or out of it. It is extremely difficult to get even a coachman, a butler, or any man servant that is clean shaven or will allow himself to become so, or indeed one who is willing to wear a full beard. The fashion of the day in the German empire requires that the mustache be fierce and long. It is said that the kaiser is behind this new order, and that he thinks the navy would appear smarter if there was more uniformity in the looks of the officers.

Growth of the Cotton Industry. In 1869 the world used only 5,000,000 bales of cotton in manufactures as against 11,000,000 bales now-an increase of 120 per cent. The United States has less than 15,000,000 spindles, against nearly 70,000,000 in Europe. The total takings by spinners of the United States are about 2,350,000 bales, of which the southern mills have but one-third. The south has now nearly 2,000,000 spindles, instead of 562,600, in 1880. Thus in 13 years it has increase the percentage of spindles from five to 14. The total number of cotton mills in the southern states is 271.

### New Mirror on the Market.

There is a new mirror on the market. It bas a long handle, which is thrust into a clamp on the back of a chair. The chair stands before a dressingtable, and the dresser is enabled to get a view of her back hair without strain ing either her neck or her arms.

Not a New Came Football has been played in Englas for more than 500 years.

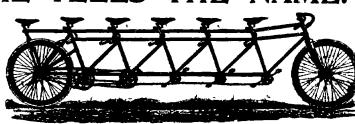
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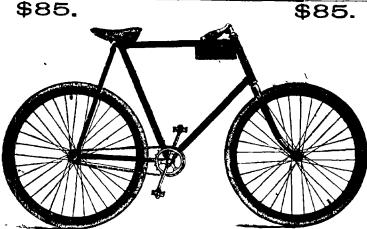
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Pure Country Milk per gallon	.150
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The Baumgardner Dairy, LINCOLN SQUARE.

HERMAN SPIES.

Book Binder.

### ATTACHMENT NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, (46 MACON COUNTY, 46 In the County Court to the April term A. D 1890

Joseph Winter vs. J. F. Weigandt et al In At-tachment. Demand \$872 08.

Joseph Winter vs. J. F. Weigandt et al. In Attachment. Demand \$572.08.

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Affidant of the non-residence of J. F. Weigandt, one of the above named defendants, having been alled in the office of the county clerk of Miscon county.

Notice is bereby given to you the said J. F. Weigandt, that a writ of attachment has been issued out of said county court at the suit of the said J. F. Weigandt et at, for the sum of \$572.08 besides interest directed to the sheriff of said county to execute. which said writ has been returned by said sheriff executed by summousing Henry Hurst, L. F. Abrams and Franc M. Abrams as co-defendants with you, and at the same time summousing and naming. George Hack as garnishee, and at the same time summossing and naming. J. M. Hrownback & Co. as garnishee, and at the same time summossing and naming you, the said J. F. Weigandt, shall personally be and appear before the county court of said county on the first day of the next term thereof to be holden at Decaur in said county on the second Monday in April next, give special bat sam plead to said schon, judement will be rendered against you in favor of said plaintiff and the property garnisheed taken to saids plaintiff and the property garnisheed taken to saids the same with costs (Seal).

### ASSIGNEE'S SALE,

Drug and Book Store.

The undersigned salus immediate corresponence with the view of purchasing the 1-ray at Book Nore at a ged on the corner of East Mand North Water streets Pecatur, 1. The stock of drugs, she f room fixtures, soda founds ster. In complete, and invites about 5.00 The Rooks, Stationery, etc., are in good continue, and invites effects \$1500. Stock and twices are ready for examination. The stand the best in the city. Write to, or see, at once, B. J. Acci., Assignee. Decatur, 1th, March 5, 1884-dit

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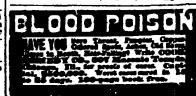
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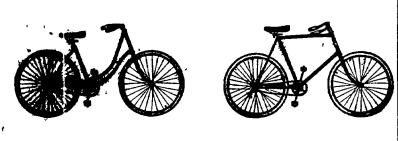
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It leads directly to our doors. Throngs of buyers traverse it day after day. Shows that we are tension top buggies and road wagons, strengthening the friendly business relations be- and a full line of medium grade vehi. tween the store and the public, without which there can be no success. Want you to keep com School Observer has reached our exing. Want you to tell your friends and neighbors about the store. Confidence once established between us, the rest will be easy.

# F. H. Cole Shoe Co.,

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

148 EAST MAIN STREET.

# **Alteration Sale!**

As our store is to be remodeled and renovated throughout during April, we have decided to reduce our stock as much as possible during March, and we will offer extra inducements from every department.

Special Sale

New Dress Goods. and Silks of All Kinds.

Dress Goods at 25, 25, 39 and 48c. New Salks at 35, 50, 65, 75c, and \$1 yd.

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Big Bargains in Linens. Cream Damask at 35c, worth 50c. Cream Damask at 48c, worth 75c. Red Damask at 25, 35, 40, and 48c yd.

MONEY SAVED.

Underwear all Reduced. .

Men's Red \$1 Shirts at 68c. Ladies' Vests at 25, 35, 48c. Ladies' Muslin Gowns on sale at 98c, orth \$1.50.

Jackets and Capes.

Every heavy weight Jacket and Cape to go regardless of profit or cost.

Heavy Cloth Capes at \$5, \$6.50, \$7.50.

Heavy Jackets at \$5, \$6.50 and \$7.50. All worth double the money Spring Capes at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4, \$5.

Carpets.

Homp Carpet at 121/2c and 15c yard.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1896

SOCIETY MEETINGS. MASONIC — Special convocation of Macon Chapter, No. 21, Royal Arch Masons, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting companions are invited Work, Royal Arch degree.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Denz, Tailor, 117 North Water St. Burks' White Pine Balsam for colds. Brodess & Co., Library Block.

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JOHNNY WEIGAND still makes the Leda 10 cent cigar. mch25-dtf DR. L. E. COONBADT, Dentist, rooms

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Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the man-For Sale.-Will sell the Barn Palace

Saloon at a very reasonable figure. Everything clean and new. Poor health eason for selling. HARRY HATHAWAY. Go to the Spencer & Lehman company for fine surreys, canopy and ex-

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offer for twenty days only.

PHILLIPS & WOOD, 326 North Water St.

ber of letters strengly seconding the ef-forts being put forth to organize the

at the Christian church at that place this afternoon.

evening. Everybody invited.

Tax Payer's Final Notice.

will be in my hands. I have arranged to hold the books until after Wahaah All our Carpets will go in sale.

Best Ingrains to go at 48c yard worth

will be in my hands. I have arranged body, that represents the board of supervisors, you will find the facts her

> Reheartal at Prof. Foster's Reams. The regular rehearsal for the "Bo-Main street, Thursday evening at 8 charges to the bottom. o'cleck. A full attendance is earnestly

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A resolution was introduced recom

No Blood Hounds for the Sheriff Resolution Tabled.

CHARGES AGAINST W. C. BURLEY

vestigated-New Bridge for Austin Township.

The county board of supervisors ha another interesting session to day.

Charges Against Steward Burley. After the minutes had been approved he following charges against Steward W. C. Burley, of the Macon county poor farm, were read, and on motion reerred to the poor farm committee for

MAROA, ILL, Feb. 5, '96.
To the Board of Supervisors of Macon

County: 1, Alonzo Noland, who has been an nmate of the county farm of Macon county from Sept. 28, 95, until Jan, 28, 896, does hereby enter a complaint in behalf of himself and inmates that are confined at the poor house of Macor ounty against Steward William Burley and family, in which he certifies that in mates are abused unmercifully at the hands of the said steward and family. I wish to call your attention to the fac I. Thompson was accused of this conduct by Burley and wife, she (Mrs Thompson) protested her innocence to cooking for the inmates at the county farm, she being compelled to work early and late in order to have her work in shape. Those that know of this trouble between Mrs. Thompson and Burley be-lieve, to the best of their knowledge, kinds of cakes, pies, etc. dec26-dtf that Mrs. Thompson was accused wrong

arms, knowe as revolvers; also they have pointed them at the inmates that were in there, making those that came in contact with that, if they, the inmates, did not throw up their hands, they would shoot them, at the same time have guns pointed at inmates while eat-ing breakfast. One morning Roy Burley came into the inmates' dining room ley, pointed at Rody Bates, making the gentleman hold up his hands, and tiring a blank cartridge from which a part struck Mrs. Thompson in the face. A short time after this the men were hauling manure. Lee Burley fired a shot from a gun near by where they were at work, frightening the team, causing them to jump and throwing Mr. Carpenter out of the wagon, break ing three of his ribs. The sons of Wil liam Burley are very abusive to the in mates. They have made such express ions that would shock the modesty of

the most refined gentleman.
Third, about the time of the last board meeting. August Ellis, or better known at the poor farm as Boody, was down sick suffering with intense pain, was left of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Jenison, and in his room up stairs for nearly two days, without attention. When this fact was made known to Burley, that Boody and a full line of medium grade vehi.

Cles. Feb. 26, d&w tf

The February number of the High
School Observer has reached our exchange table. It contains many ably written articles on various instructive topics and lots of school gossin.

made known to Burley, that Boody should be brought down stairs and placed in a room that was warm, Roy ding and congratulations from Decatuff relatives and friends were sent by mail due we don't give a d—n." Another unfortunate soul by the name of Fred Sydes, who came to the county house suffering with a bad case of the piles son is connected with one of the largest chile string in front of the firenises. while sitting in front of the fireplace, before retiring to bed, received a blow on the back which affected his entire system, causing him to faint away. This gentleman grew worse. Steward Burley was notified of the young lady, has many friends in Decamen's fact; came over on the men's side and looked at Sydes saying nothing. USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. He, Burley, never tried to give the man tending congratulations.

HABRY DECKER IS in receipt of a num
HE LOCAL MAI

THE LOCAL MAI forts being put forth to organize the Cantral Illinois base ball league. Terre Haute wants to be counted in on the deal.

The remains of Mrs. Solomon Shetter were taken this morning to Bates Station and see Station and see him again. This man sydes lay unconscious the most of the man was kept the matter. Thomas Hank, who died at the poor farm, was without medical attention until his death. This man was kept the man was kept the

to the Christian church at that place this afternoon.

The Christian Endeavor of the United That he was been bedied.

The Christian Endeavor of the United That he was compened to go to bed where he died.

Fourth. Your honors, between the 1st and 28th of January, 1896, a poor, unfortunate woman, named Eliza Goodman, The supply of roultry is increasing "DOCTRINAL Correctness and Practical Crockedness; Practical Correctness and Doctrinal Crockedness" will be the them to-night at the old Christian church chapel on Edward street. The sudance increases as the meetings control of the purpose of whip ping Martin Gibson, a man that is well and the purpose of Maroa. Being she was punished as I have stated audience increases as the meetings con known in the vicinity of Maroa. Being unfortunate, like a good many others, and in a more critical condition, he was I want the tax payers to understand, by Burley. In conclusion, with those that this is the final week the books

pay day, to accommodate the railroad men and laboring people generally. The books will positively be closed on next Saturday night, March 14. Don't neglect this final notice, as all who do not pay this week will have their property returned as delinquent.

9 d6 A. S. Moscan, Collector.

Dervisors, you will find the facts her within this complaint, and Good being within th blind boy whose home is at Maros, and who had a difficulty with Mr. Burley, while he was a charge at the county hemian Girl" will be held this week in house. In justice to Mr. Burley and the the rooms of Prof. Foster, 347 North inmates the committee will sift the

hounds be purchased for the use of the Micholson in tracing and running

non was laid on the table. A New Bridge. On the report of the committee it was rdered that a new bridge be built over

Salt creek in Austin township. Supt. Keller's report was referred the committee.

Overseer Hane's report for the past quarter made this showing: umber of tone of coal bought umber of half-tons bought.

house rooms by outside parties will be acres, worth over \$6000, is at issue. At investigated. It was ordered that the insurance of

the county buildings be renewed

WILL BUILD SOON.

Paul J. Hickisch Will Have a New Stor

A new building will be erected on the lot where the Roby now stands as soon as the work of tearing down the Roby can be started. The lot is owned by Paul J. Hickisch, and was recently page that a lady was censured with such conduct that she was not guilty of.

From a story purported by one Lawrence Davis, he claiming that this wide just east of where the Roby stands. lady was seen in a conspicuous place at the dead hour of night. When Orpha H. Roby and traded lots with Mr. Hiskisch. The latter gives Mr. Thatcher ten feet off the north end of hie lot, and in consideration of this Mr. Thatcher IRWIN'S Kola and Celery Compound is severe punishment from Burley and will erect the building for Mr. Hef-

The structure is to be a one story brick building, 90 feet deep and with a frontage of 30 feet on East North street. It will be so constructed that other stories can be added when it is known what IRWIN'S Cascara Tablets, sure cure for abitual constipation, ninety doses, 55 mabitual constipation, ninety doses, 55 metable that Roy and Lee Burley have time fact that Roy and Lee Burley have time for the building, and the door will be a large plate glass window in the front of the building, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the men's side of the house, where they be at the southwest corner facing to the men's side of the house, where they after time come into the sitting room on the men's side of the house, where they town.

What's the matter with you? Condained:

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What's the beat displayed with the boulding, and the door will be a large plate glass window in the front of the building, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the boulding, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the building, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the building, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the boulding, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the building, and the door will be at the southwest corner facing to the will be put on the corner. There will The building though only one story Adam Scott vs. W. A. Truax, chancery Con high will be well constructed, as Mr. tinued by agreement.

Heikisch expects to build other stories Amanda Wilson et al vs. Rebecca B. Barnett Heikisch expects to build other stories et al., partition. Continued for service.

ABBRUG WIBBUL ST. ALBRUG WIBBUL ST. A brick with fancy trimmings. The plans chancery. Continued by agreement chancery drawn by Architect Rosen. As Charles F. Churchman et al vs. Cyrus L. Sher soon as the tenants in the Roby vacate, man et al; partition Stricken at cost of com the place will be torn down and the new building at once put up

> Wedding of Miss Flo Beatty and Guy Jenison at Birmingham

This Afternoon.

evening that Miss Flo Beatty, of this city, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H Beatty, had gone to Birmingham, Ala., eccompanied by her uncle, Mr. F. O. Beatty. But that is not all. The travelers arrived at Birmingham this forenoon, and at 3 o'clock this afternoon faint fit of his health. The bride, who is a tur who will join the REPUBLICAN in ex-

### THE LOCAL MARKETS.

Prices Paid by the Local Deslers for the

tion for burial. The funeral was held until he was compelled to go to bed bushel; white corn, 24c; mixed corn 23c;

The supply of roultry is increasing Brethren church, will serve dinner and supper March 12 at the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Goodman started away, saying she

kets by the farmers in the past week rooms. A program will be given in the intended to run off. After she returned than for some time past. Eggs are still from a short walk around over the farm, plentiful and bring 10c per dozen. Max Atlas offers the following prices: Mane lated upon her enterprise in extending and springs, 61/2c per pound; roceters, 2c; the invitation and in complying so stage, 4c; hen turkeye, 10c; gobblers, 9c; promptly with the conditions. Decatur old toms, 6c; ducks, 7c; geese, 5c; aggs school will be well represented at the 10c per dozen.

There has been practically no change in the price of live stock in the must week. There is a good deal of live stock day to attend to several cases of dipth offered for sale and the supply of hogs theria. He says that there are three is especially large.

The only country produce the farmers offer is butter and that bring from 15c spread into an epidemic. to 18c per pound at the grocery stime. The best green hides sell for 31 co per pound and tallow for 4c.

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convention.

### LOTS OF CASES

Judge Vail Goes Through the Chancery Docket.

A BUSY DAY FOR ENTRIES IN COURT

The Dapray Land Case Now on Trial by Court-A Big Farm

In the circuit court this forenoon Judge Vail took up the chancery docket and went through it to the end, dismiss ing and continuing many cases.

The Depray land case is now being The matter of the occupation of court heard by the court. A farm of 1(4) torney Johns appears for the plaintiff and Attorney Buckingham for the de

> CHANCERY DOCKET. Robinson, Zimmerman & Co. vs. Charles (ab) naghan et al, chancery. Dismissed for want of

Edward O. Smith et al vs. Kathryn S. Smith et

mechanics' lien. Suit dismissed by complain Henry Roark vs. Elizabeth Cross, mechani

Edwin Park vs. Decatur Brick and Tile Co. by April 15, and rule on complainant to close re ttal by May 1, continued

Eugene Pope vs. Frances Dapray et al chan-cery. Case heard by court en exceptions to master's report Rachel Brown vs. Asa Brown; forecid

Mary Baldwick vs. Henry Baldwick, divorce, Dismissed by complainant. Jessie Long by her next friend vs Frank H,

Margaret A. Wentz ve. Emma A Hawkins of

dower Report of commissioners approved, and motion entered for a jury to assess amount of

Aaron Priser et al vs. Elizabeth Priser et al The Prostyr Lumber and Milig Co vs Dusne

Grace A. M. Faunce vs. Charles Faunce di force Dismissed for want of prosecution Ella Carroll vs. Thomas Carroll, divorce. Con

Hatty Pettyjohn vs. William Pettyjohn Force. Dismissed for want of prosecution
Samuel L. Black et al vs. Lucy 8. Corne, chanry. Continued by agreement Elia E. Biackburn vs. Julius Blackburn Dis

Allen Bakestraw et al vs. Frank 'A. D Emer Elizabeth C. Lambert vs. John Vance fore

out prejudice. John I. Veech vs. James M. Walton et al, par lition. Leave to amend bill and continued for

creditor's bill. Leave to amend bill making new Sarah E. Smith et al vs. Louise E. Walt et al. chancery. Leave to grant bill by making Mollie

E Peacock party complainant, and rule to an swer by March 12. Chauncey M. Powers vs. Andrew J. Gasawa) et al; foreclosure. Leave to amend by adding new defendant, and continued.

Margaret Pope, executor, &c., va. Mary I ner et al, foreclosure. Master reporte \$1025.10 due complainant. Decree of sale and

COMMON LAW DOCKET. Riddell & Letts vs. Theo. A. Eyman; attach-ment. Dismissed as per agreement on file. Stock Growers' National Bank vs. F. M Palterson et al; assumpsit. Demurrer to declar

tion overruled. Levi Towl vs. Edward Welch et al, confession Judgment for plaintiff for \$51.25 and costs

GOES TO CHAMPAIGN.

be Held in that City. All Sabbath school workers will be in terested to learn that the State Sunday school convention which Decatur had hoped to capture will be held at the city of Champaign. The information from a reliable source reached Decatur to-day. Champaign is to be congratu

Dipththeria at Boody. Dr. E. W. Mocre was in Boody yester cases of the disease in the town, and the people are uneasy for fear that it will

To Mr. and Mrs. William Garrison, of Polk street, on Masch 11, a son.

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Now Elect a Senator.

REPUBLICANS CAUCUS ALL NI

the Senate-Attack on the Governor-A Prompt Apology

LOUISVILLE, Ky, March 13 house is full of ominous rumors. P leaders hurried to and fro in secret ference. Boyle, Republican candid for senator, was in consultation all ni The leaders went in and out of his re with mysterious rapidity. Boyle and friends have determined not expulsion of and Walton, chair and cast their votes for Bo not. Of course the clerk will refuse call their names, but this it is decide not necessary if Dunlap will qualify vote for the nominee. Boyle receive long telegram from Senator Sheri in which it is stated that in his opin 69 votes constituted a quorum s with Dunlap and two illegally expesenators voting with the other 65 m bers would elect Boyle and he believe United States senate will so dec The Republicans have called in all p There is no faith put in Populist I voting with the Republicans, altho he is besieged with telegrams from county urging him to do so. It do ops this morning that the Democr members are far from being united policy to be pursued.

### BLOOD IN KENTUCKY.

One Senster Calls Another a Llar Joint Amembly Falls to Elect.

his appearance with eight deputies the corridors between the two ch

the corridors between the two ch bers. At 11:30 instructions came f. Governor Bradley to clear the ser cloak room in which were Sena Blackburn and his friends, inclused Chinn. As soon as the senate jority heard this the leaders Blackburn grew hot, and at codrew up a resolution rebulk the governor, which was adop amid the wildest confusion. Petric (R arose and said it was an extraordir measure and asked that a committee appointed to confer with the gover him. Bronston grew firey and bitt scored the governor and called for adoption of the resolution. He said denounce the act of the governor a a Kentuckian am ready to resent outrageous and unlawful act with evidrop of my blood. Bronaton was was a sheet when he sat down. Got spoke equally bitter and said governor had no right to in shouted: "I for one am ready to pro said the presiding officer, "will clear floor." Deboe arose and denounced reflection on Gov Bradley by Brone as false and untrue. Repeating he s "I say it to his face," glaring at Bi ston. Bronston jumped up and c menced to unbutton his vest. people thought the time for bloods had arrived, but before the beliger

could act the presiding officer success by pounding his gavel and calling quiet in restoring order.

Sayler said he was not willing to in the governor of Kentucky, and me to refer the motion of Bronston to committee on rules, which was d The Blackburn leaders seeing they been outvoted subsided and the rem able scene was ended. If the sherit tempts to clear the cloak room, t

will be trouble, as Blackburn and friends say they will not get out.

The Senate filed into the bouse of bor shortly after moon. The roll showed one hundred and twenty showed one hundred and twenty members present. Necessary to ck sixty-five. The reading of the jouwas dispensed with. The ballot reed, Blackburn, fifty; Carlisle, thir Buckner, one. The Republicans a refused to vote. There was no quoi The chair announced no election.

Governor Bradley was reen an denied having given the sheriff any orders as stated. Senator Bronst once begged the governor's pardon.

Barned Her Hands. Mrs. N. A. Cruzan, living on William street, had her hands burned to day. She was cleaning a of kid gloves with gasoline. The g were on her hands and she had ru them with gasoline and was d them by the fire when they ignited hands were terribly burned. Dr. V Catto was called and dressed the b The injury was very painful and Cruzan will not have the use o

hands for some time. Going to Jerusalem

FORT WORTH, Texas, March 13 party of pilgrims from San Saba Lampassa countres passed through city to-day on route to Jerusalem. pilgrimage is caused by the belief the world is coming to an and the world is coming to an end desire to be in the holy city to Christ when he comes. The pil are a well-to do class of people.

Insurgents Are Adroit. MADRID, March 18 .-- A disputch Havan says the insurgents are province of Matanzas split in bodies, thus enabling them to